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THE COUNTY HOUSE.

MORE ABOUT ITS LOOSE MANAGEMENT.

Drawn Out by H. D. Platts Letters Which Admit the Argus Statements but Seek to Befog the Issue

Some few weeks ago the ARGUS gave the taxpayers of the county some interesting reading in the shape of affidavits, made by employees of the county house clearly showing why State Oil Inspector Platt and ex-Superintendent of the Poor Greene, had been making such an ado over changes at the county house. Time passed on and we saw no defense to the affidavits, and the proof of loose management taken from the records. We knew that a whitewashing report had been prepared and signed by one superintendent, the other two wisely refusing to attach their signatures to it. The communication failed to appear. But last week two of the county papers contained letters over the signature of Mr. H. D. Platt, in answer to the article written long ago. The letters are remarkable for their evasions, admissions and efforts to throw the public off the scent.

The writer of these letters, who uses Mr. Platt's name, ADMITS THE FACTS CHARGED in our article. The main fact that there has been "an improper and loose way of doing business at the county house," is expressly admitted by Mr. Platt. That is what we charge and if Mr. McDowell is guilty of doing business in "an improper and loose" way for the county, it was a good thing that he was not re-elected keeper and the Platt-Greene case falls to the ground.

Mr. Platt admits the feeding of his horses at the county house, the taking of grapes and vegetables from the county farm. He alleges that in return for these, he did some neighborly acts for Mr. McDowell. The county paid Mr. McDowell \$700 a year, and gave him his living. It was not in the contract to furnish Platt with vegetables, grapes, spare-ribs or other meat or horse feed. The county was not a neighbor to Platt, and Platt had NEVER EARNED A PENSION from it. Those grapes and vegetables were needed for the inmates and Platt knew it. But he was taking advantage of what he terms, "an improper and loose way of doing business." Undoubtedly he thought the county was rich, and Platt's salary was only \$1,500 a year and the county might afford to do something in the way of neighborly acts for a state oil inspector, in pay for the honor of having such a high official, live within its borders.

The genuineness of the letter written by Mrs. Greene, thanking Mrs. McDowell for the many good things sent her is admitted, and also the fact that these things came from the county house supplies, but an effort is made to make light of it as only a loaf of brown bread and a quart can of pickles was given. Mr. Platt, or the man who writes in his name, neglects the phrase that alone gives weight to the letter. The letter gives thanks for "THE MANY GOOD THINGS."

It was printed in proof of the charge that we made, that some of the superintendents and others, were in the habit of taking home some eatables or delicacies from the county stores. The taxpayers do not engage to furnish superintendents of the poor with their living. They do not engage to supply neighbors with meat nor friends of the keeper with cream and butter. The inmates inform us that during Mr. McDowell's administration, they were

NOT ALLOWED BUTTER OR MILK. From more than one source, we have reliable information of cans of cream given away from the house. Under the new keeper, with no more cows, the inmates are allowed butter. The cream is now saved and utilized for those to whom the county intended it should be furnished.

The writer of the article, signed H. D. Platt, charges the employees of the county farm, who made the affidavits for the ARGUS with being "reliable paupers." We repeat what apparently escaped our friend's notice. The "witnesses" were help of the county. They are not unfortunate enough to be registered as inmates of the house. They are paid for their work and besides it comes with poor grace for Mr. Greene to apply the epithet of pauper to those unfortunate enough to have lost their earthly goods. No man find the county house from no fault of their own. Old age often overtakes men unprepared for rainy days. Let us not deal harshly with them. Let us not deprive them of every comfort to be derived from the county farm, that a keeper may gain in popularity with his friends.

The letter Mr. Platt or Mr. Greene writes to the Ypsilantian quotes a letter written to "A RESPECTABLE PHYSICIAN in Ann Arbor," by an inmate of the county house. We feel sure that it was not one of our witnesses and we do not

for a moment, uphold the writer of it. We listened to no foul-mouthed individuals, when we were amazed by a detailed statement of the many "neighborly acts" the county had done for the neighbors. But we can readily understand how a vituperative individual might be stirred up to write such a letter. To see a respectable physician carry away cans of cream when he came down to see the county house, would naturally stir up the indignation of an inmate who was denied the least bit of butter.

These people, who are tarred with the stick of misused hospitality paid for by the county, will probably learn to keep their fingers out of the fire. The ARGUS has locked in its safe a number of affidavits giving names of recipients of the county's generous gifts of meat, vegetables, sugar, coffee, cream, etc. We can understand how naturally they should feel that the generous keeper is abused. But we advise them for their own good not to talk too much about it. We don't desire to divulge their names to the public. We believe they INTENDED NOTHING WRONG.

But at the same time the taxpayers of the whole county cannot be made to pay for gifts, neighborly or otherwise, to a keeper's friends. The whole system is "an improper and loose" one. The ARGUS intends that it shall be broken up. If other keepers have been guilty of like improper acts, that doesn't help Mr. McDowell out. He was merely a salaried servant of the county, not the owner of the county farm and the things were not his to "be neighborly with." One keeper some years ago, lost his place, we understand, by endeavoring to be too liberal to his friends and it was then considered highly improper.

To the charge that the superintendents have been in the habit of buying goods of the county and leaving no record of the amount or quantity purchased and that there was no check against the county's being cheated in this manner, we hear not a word said. We repeat that this practice must cease. The county is not in the mercantile business. It ought not to be selling flour, dress goods, shoes, etc.

Mr. Platt's letter contains some figures showing that as loose as was the way of doing business the nine years of "republican administration" cost less than nine years of democratic administration." They read well, but they are VERY DECEPTIVE FIGURES.

Mr. Platt neglects to inform his readers that during what he calls, "the democratic administration," (although during part of that time there was a republican keeper, and part of the time a republican board of superintendents,) the insane of the county were kept at the county house and this greatly raised the expense. An insane inmate costs much more to keep than a sane one. It made extra attendance necessary, more clothing, etc., destroyed. Mr. Platt also loses sight of the higher cost of goods in the years succeeding the war. Flour cost much more. Clothing was greatly higher, and the supervisors then allowed tramps to be fed at the county house, and the expense of entertaining tramps counted up. But this is not the question at issue. Pinching the unfortunate poor of the county, that the hospitality of the county may be famed throughout the land is not to be commended. It should have no apologizers. THE ARGUS believes that

A BETTER ERA HAS DAWNED in the management of the county house. And it believes that it owes a duty to the people of the county to expose the faulty system hitherto in vogue. It has performed that duty as delicately as possible, and to effectively expose the system which it has not used because it dislikes to drag the names of private persons into the matter. We thank Messrs. Platt and Greene for relieving us of that necessity in their cases, by rushing in to oppose the change that is going away with what Mr. Platt himself terms, "an improper and loose way of doing business." And the state oil inspector can reflect with satisfaction, that no one now can consider or believe that he will hereafter be partially supported at the county's expense.

It Might Have Burned.

What might have proved a very serious fire was discovered in the cellar of the postoffice building at about six o'clock last Friday evening. Some careless person had tossed a lighted cigar through the grate in front of the building. It had fallen through an open window upon some papers Mr. Yale had stored in the basement. It had set fire to these and some base ball bats were also ignited. Within three feet of the fire was a five gallon can of kerosene. The cellar was fairly well filled with smoke, but the fire was just starting when discovered and was quickly extinguished. If the cigar had been tossed in the same place three or four hours later, when the fire would not have been discovered at once, the probabilities are that the post office building would have been in ashes. Smokers ought to be careful not to throw their cigar stubs down grates or close to buildings.

COUNTY.

Saline will raise \$500 by tax this year.

Dexter has one saloon less than last year.

Gregory is to have a new tent of the Maccabees.

Nelson Tuttle, of Ypsilanti town, is barn building.

Dexter rejoices in a number of new hitching posts.

Maurice Hammond has enlarged his residence in Whittaker.

The Manchester high school alumni hold a reunion in June.

Joseph Dibald died in Sharon, May 14, aged 21 years, of consumption.

L. Z. Foerster, of Ypsilanti, has bought a blacksmith shop in Bridgewater.

Mumps—the delightful mumps have attacked the children of Manchester.

Three additional reservoirs for fire protection are being built in Manchester.

The Lima town library is much improved by the new books just added to it.

Manchester will have the pleasure of witnessing a ball game on decoration day.

The Webster farmers club had an interesting meeting at John Pratt's, Saturday.

Mrs. J. M. Johnson, of Ypsilanti, died May 15 of consumption, aged thirty-seven years.

The Sunday school at the Bennett school house in Superior numbers over fifty members.

Some of the Manchester farmers have plowed up their wheat fields and planted buckwheat.

Our Manchester readers may keep their eyes open for a goodly batch of Manchester news next week.

Horatio Burch, Fred Steinkohl and John Wisner are the newly elected trustees, of Manchester.

The young people of the Methodist church in Ypsilanti held their annual festival Tuesday evening.

Comstock Post G. A. R., of Manchester, will have appropriate decoration day services this year.

Hattie E. Gilbert died May 13, in Ypsilanti, aged twenty-one years. She was the daughter of John Gilbert.

The Social Club, of Manchester township, had an exceedingly pleasant meeting at Mrs. J. R. Holmes' yesterday afternoon.

James Hogan's family in Bridgewater, have had quite a seige of measles, six members of the family just recovering from it.

Dr. H. A. Caw, at one time a resident of Lima and Manchester, died in Lapeer county, May 9th, of paralysis, aged 65 years.

Only one member attended the last meeting of the Manchester council. He was hardly numerous enough to constitute a quorum.

The Southern Washtenaw and the Norvell Farmers Clubs unite in a meeting held Thursday, June 7th, at the residence of L. D. Watkins.

Supervisor Burch, of Manchester, estimates that Cleveland will have a majority of 175 in Manchester township this fall. He thinks he has been growing in popularity.

Manchester now has hopes of obtaining the new depot it so much needs. The railroad commissioner has seen the delapidated old depot and will recommend a new one.

The pastor of the Stony Creek church, Rev. Mr. McMahon, has just recovered from a seige of the measles, which has been epidemic throughout the county attacking old and young.

Mrs. Lucretia Kingsley died suddenly in Ypsilanti, May 11th. She had resided with her daughter Mrs. Alverson Drury for the past twenty-five years and was eighty-three years of age.

A burglar broke into Van de Murk's store and the Lake Shore depot in Clinton, but secured no booty commensurate with the risk he ran. Burglars rarely secure big hauls now-a-days.

Frank Ponek, an Ypsilanti opera house employee, was so excited by Shaun Rhue played in the opera house last week that he fell some twenty feet, breaking an arm and suffering other injuries.

Louis L. Burton, of Detroit, was married to Miss Frances H. Cheever, of Ypsilanti, May 15th, by the Rev. Wm. Galpin of this city. The bride was president of the Sappho club. The wedding was in St. Luke's church and was a very pretty one.

The street "water works" met with a sad mishap last Saturday, as it was crossing the stone walk in front of Deubel's mill. Either the team was too strong or the reach too weak, for the forward and rear wheels parted company and let the front end of the "horizontal stand-pipe" down upon the solid stone, bursting it open and flooding the street with water. In accordance with the eternal fitness of things, Saturday was unusually windy and the dust seemed to enjoy a glorious holiday. Ypsilantian.

C. R. Pattison, the former editor of the Ypsilanti Commercial, having returned from Florida, his interesting series of letters to the Commercial from that sunny land have ceased. His last letter describes the breaking away from the republican party of the colored men of the south, because they find that they are better treated by the democrats than by the disreputable white leaders of the republican party of the south. The Commercial's series of letters from various parts of the country have become a taking feature of that journal.

Dexter.

Quite a party, of Dexterites spent Wednesday at Base Lake.

Mrs. Kate Smith, of Mason, has been visiting her mother Mrs. Murdock.

Miss Louise Taylor, of Ann Arbor, spent Sunday with some of her Dexter friends.

Mrs. G. S. Sill and daughter, Mrs. M. W. Edgar, drove through to Detroit last Friday.

C. F. Crane, of Toledo, is home on a short visit to his parents, Hon. A. D. Crane and wife.

Mrs. A. C. Nichols, of Ann Arbor, visited Miss Marian Phelps of this place, Saturday last.

Farmers in this section are too busy to come to town and our streets are quiet in consequence.

Mrs. Geo. H. Sletor, of Alpena, and her little ones are visiting her father, Mr. William Warner.

The new law by which the county gets one half the liquor tax, we fear will leave Dexter village a little short of funds.

A subscription paper is circulating for the purpose of getting the street sprinkler out again. There surely should be no difficulty in raising the required amount.

Fishing occupies a portion of the time of many of our Dexter young people and they seem to be fairly successful, judging from the number of "finnies" seen on our street.

S. A. Crane, who has just finished painting the Congregational church, has gone to Detroit where he expects to improve the outward appearance of several houses by the use of his brush.

F. F. Taylor and family left Tuesday morning for their new home at East Tawas, where Mr. Taylor expects to engage in the dry goods business as a member of the firm of W. M. Locke & Co. Their many Dexter friends wish them abundant success.

While there are poor fields of wheat to be found in Dexter township, there are also many fields where wheat promises to be a good crop. One Dexter farmer has 2,000 bushels of wheat in his bins, another has 1,000 and a third has not sold any wheat for several years, waiting for a rise in prices.

We understand some effort has been made to form a stock company for the purpose of putting rollers into the Dexter Mills. Why don't some live person push this matter and see if the thing can't be done? And why could not the old Peninsular Mills be remodeled into—say a paper mill? The water power is one of the best on the Huron River. Don't let Dexter get mouldy.

Our Soda fountains are running and C. S. Smith is preparing to open his ice cream parlors. Just get your cream the night before, Charlie, flavor properly, and leave it out of doors and we venture to say it will be ready for sale the next morning without any exertion on your part in the way of freezing it. However we hope for warmer weather soon and Smith can make as good cream as any one.

Freedom.

Miss Allie Guinan is on the sick list this week.

Mrs. Jacob Lutz returned home from Detroit last week.

Miss Rosa Fausal, of Manchester, spent Sunday with Mary Vogel.

School in district number 7 closes Saturday with rhetorical exercises.

The Methodists have been having quarterly meetings at the "Little Church."

E. C. Warner has paid us a visit but we would all be pleased to see his smiling face again.

Chickenpox decimates the ranks of district number 9. Too bad, for the first month there wasn't but one absent.

Mr. Freddie Johns, of Sherwood, Ohio, arrived here Saturday to attend the funeral of his uncle, Mr. Dresselhouse.

Brace Up.

You are feeling depressed, your appetite is poor, you are bothered with headache, you are forgetful, nervous, and generally out of sorts, and want to brace up. Brace up but not with stimulants, spring medicines or bitters, or bitters, which have for their basis very cheap, bad whiskey, and which stimulate you for an hour, and then leave you in worse condition than before. What you want is an alternative that will purify your blood, start healthy action of the liver and kidneys, restore your vitality, and give renewed health and strength. Such a medicine you will find in Electric Bitters and only 50 cents a bottle at Eberbach & Son's Drug Store.

Milan.

Orin Lamkins is quite ill.

Prof. Wilsey was a Milan visitor, Tuesday.

Editor Hawkins was in town again this week.

Minnie Crolius is the new clerk in the post-office.

J. H. Ford was a Detroit visitor last Wednesday.

Mrs. Callis and son will spend the summer near Azalia.

Geo. Chapman is back again working for Swoles.

Editor Smith was a Detroit visitor the last of the week.

Mrs. F. Leonard is visiting friends in the country for a few days.

The Milan People are pleased to see the warm sun rays once more.

Mrs. Blinn visited Detroit, Ann Arbor and Manchester the last of the week.

Andrew Callis, one of our enterprising citizens, left Tuesday evening for Dakota.

Mr. and Mrs. Acker have rented the Andrew Callis rooms and will move into them before many days.

Rev. J. Huntington left for Howell, Wednesday, where he attended the fiftieth anniversary of the Baptist society.

Miss Grace Blackmer returned from her Ohio visit, the last of the week. She has been quite ill since her return.

Decoration day will be observed in an appropriate manner by the G. A. R. boys and also the citizens of our little city.

Mrs. H. Sill and sister left for Detroit, Thursday, driving through. They will be gone a week visiting friends and sight seeing.

Wm. Needham and family, of Lansing, have returned to their home in Milan. Their old friends are glad to welcome them back.

Dr. George W. Kishpaugh, of Clinton, and Miss Laura Simmons, of Milan, were married at the bride's residence, Monday evening, May 21st, by Rev. J. Huntington.

The Baptist society gave Mrs. Huntington a birthday surprise, Tuesday evening. They presented her with a beautiful rocker as a token of regard wishing her many happy returns of a merry birthday.

The reception at Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Reynolds, Friday, was a very pleasant affair. The presents were numerous and elegant. Mr. and Mrs. Alva Reynolds have started out with the best wishes from their friends for the future.

South Lyon.

Mrs. Booth, wife of Conductor Booth is visiting at Henry Whipple's.

Quite a number of our base ball cranks took in the excursion to Detroit the 22nd.

Rumor says that Capt. Weatherhead will commence very soon the erection of a flouring mill in South Lyon. Hope it is true.

A large amount of low ground in this vicinity, is planted to onions, which are all up and looking nicely, considering the backward spring.

Our new mills are cutting each day a large amount of oak lumber and teams our busy hauling logs to keep them going. By fall the furniture works will employ as many as fifty men altogether.

Mrs. Edward Chase, of Salem, is offered \$2,660 on the \$3,000 policy, she held in the Hillsdale Mutual insurance company. She wants the whole amount and all the members in this vicinity, would like to see her get it.

Fred Adams met with a sad accident on Saturday morning last. One of his horses kicked him while he was putting on the harness breaking his jaw and cutting his face in several places. He is at this writing, improving slowly.

Dr. W. C. Brown and the new dentist, Mr. Potter, are moving their office into Carpenter & Saigers block on the corner of Main and Lake streets. They have very commodious quarters, having three large rooms for the accommodations of their patrons.

Lost.—"I don't know where, I can't tell when, I don't see how—something of great value to me, and for the return of which I shall be truly thankful, viz.: a good appetite."

FOUND.—"Health and strength, pure blood, an appetite like that of a wolf, regular digestion, all by taking that popular and peculiar medicine, Hood's Sarsaparilla. I want everybody to try it this season." It is sold by all druggists. One hundred doses one dollar.

What is "Coahne"? What is "Coahne"? Lace may be washed by winding it around bottles or sewing it on muslin and boiling it in soft water with castile soap. It should be rinsed in soft water after removing it from the suds.

Their Business Booming. Probably no one thing has caused such a general revival of trade at Eberbach & Son's Drug Store as their giving away to their customers of so many free trial bottles of Dr. King's New Discoverer for Consumption. Their trade is simply enormous in this very valuable article from the fact that it always cures and never disappoints. Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Bronchitis, Croup, and all throat and lung diseases quickly cured. You can test it before buying by getting a trial bottle free, large size \$1. Every bottle warranted.

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HEADQUARTERS. WHOLESALE AND RETAIL. With our present arrangements we are prepared to sell goods at wholesale as well as retail. Never in our history have we owned goods as cheap as this season, and hence we are better prepared to give our customers greater value for their money than ever. We would call special attention to our Hat and Cap department. In READY MADE CLOTHING AND GENTS FURNISHING GOODS we lead all competitors. A new shipment of SPRING OVERCOATS just received. An excellent stock of underwear for Spring and Summer. TRUNKS AND TRAVELING BAGS. J. T. JACOBS & CO., 27 & 29 MAIN STREET, ANN ARBOR. N. B.—Sweet, Orr & Co's Overalls only 75 cents.

THE BEST ROAD MACHINE. You ought to have one in your township. It will save money Better roads at less expense. Speak to your supervisor about it. Call the highway commissioners attention to this advertisement. It's to your interest if you pay taxes. THE AMERICAN CHAMPION ROAD GRADER. The best made, the most enduring, greatest capacity, easiest of operation, steadiest motion, turned in narrower space than other machines. P. W. Richardson, Tremont, Me., writes that he can build more roads for \$100 with it than could be built for \$2,000 the old way. Dimon Roberts, road commissioner of Lynn, Mass., says "road expenses since purchasing American Champion half as great as formerly and more than twice amount work done each year." The

LITTLE WONDER GRADER. Warranted to do any work possible to any two-wheel machine and do it with lighter draft and less friction on the axles. The New Daisy Road Machine. A low price machine, the beet thing for the money in the market. Read what Supervisor Dansingburg of Augusta says WHITTAKER, MICH., Dec. 2, 1887. DEAR SIR—I would say that the New Daisy Road Machine bought of you last May is all that you represent it to be. I consider it superior to the Boss, on account of its hollow all-steel bar, allowing the dirt to move away freer and causing a good deal less side draft, consequently running easier, I think any one who buys one will be satisfied with it. Yours, WM. DANSINGBURG. THESE MACHINES MAY BE SEEN AT M. STAEBLER'S LARGE AGRICULTURAL WARE ROOMS, ON WASHINGTON STREET. Buy of home agents whose warranties are known to be good. M. STAEBLER is also agent for the

SPRINGFIELD ROADSTER. A bicycle not to be excelled for grace, speed, strength, hill climbing, safety or for moderateness of price. Headers cannot possibly be taken on this wheel. See the Wheel at Stabler's and you will buy no other. All kinds of Agricultural Implements may be found at the Warerooms of M. STAEBLER'S WASHINGTON STREET, ANN ARBOR.

THE SORG PAINTING COMPANY. Have reopened the old establishment of Albert Sorg's and are ready to do ANY KIND OF WORK. In the line of Painting, Graining, Kalsomining, Paper Hanging, Decorating, Glazing, Sign Writing, Etc. Dealer in Paints, Oils, Varnishes, Glass, Wall Paper and Window Shades. ALBERT SORG, Manager. Nos. 26 and 28 E. Washington Street, Ann Arbor, Mich.

Chelsea

The chicken pox is reported among the children about here now.

Many sidewalks are being built in this place and many more are needed.

D. H. Fuller is making large improvements on the marsh east of this village.

Chelsea has three hardware stores. That surely overdoes the hardware business.

Every one will be repaid for hearing Rev. C. T. Allen's address on decoration day.

The creamery which has been closed some time for repairs has begun business again.

The late change in railroad time accommodates this place better than the former time did.

The Chelsea band gave the people some good music on the streets last Monday night.

Fruit trees are in full blossom and it is believed that they were not much injured by the late frosts.

Wheat has moved some here last week at 93 to 95 cts., but now go to 92 all that can be paid.

Dr. Holmes will preach the soldiers memorial sermon next Sunday afternoon at the town hall.

C. E. Dupuy, of Stockbridge, is having his family vault erected in Oak Grove cemetery of red sandstone.

H. M. Wood and Frank Sweetland will review the supervisors tax roll at the town hall, next Monday and Tuesday. Every one should call and see that their assessment is correct.

Carpenters and joiners are getting \$2.00 per day about here, but employment is not very plenty, because building material is high and money scarce and few improvements are being made.

Don't hawk, hawk, and blow, blow, disgusting everybody, but use Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy.

Real Estate Transfers.

Recorded during the week in the office of the Register of Deeds.

Table listing real estate transfers with names, amounts, and dates.

What is "Coaline?" What is "Coaline?"

It is said that the body of a man with his head twisted off was found in an alleyway back of a Chicago photograph gallery.

What a dunce indeed, to neglect such a remedy and suffer a week, when quick relief could have been found in Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Purgative Pellets.

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"How do you like this new hat of mine, Qumby?"

"First rate. It looks much better than when I saw it last."

"When did you see it last?"

"When I took it to the second-hand store to sell it."

Bucklen's Arnica Salve. The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, sores, ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Eberbach & Son, Druggists.

Twelve Hundred Hands Happy. DANBURY, Conn., May 23.—The Tweedy Manufacturing company's hat shops started up yesterday after a month's idleness.

BOTH BADLY PUNISHED.

McAuliffe Knocks Out Glover in the Forty-Ninth Round.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 22.—Glover and McAuliffe met in the California Athletic Club rooms to fight to a finish. The men were called at 11 o'clock. In the first two rounds there was cautious sparring, and no hard blows were struck.

The following three rounds but little fighting was done. In the fifth Glover landed his right heavily on McAuliffe's nose, which swelled badly. In the eighth Glover got in two clever blows on McAuliffe's face and got away. Hard fighting characterized ten rounds. Glover got in a terrific right-hander, but McAuliffe returned it with odds.

At the conclusion of the round Glover seemed fresher. In the eleventh round Glover rushed and reached McAuliffe's wind. A clinch followed. Glover got in his arm work, weakening McAuliffe. In the twelfth round McAuliffe had far the best, giving Glover a heavy blow on the eye.

The sixteenth round was an exciting one. Glover sent his left hand hard on McAuliffe's wind. The latter got angry, rushed at Glover and gave him a series of terrific blows on the face. In the seventeenth McAuliffe led for Glover and caught him on the neck and knocked him down fairly. In the eighteenth McAuliffe received a telling blow in the ribs. He recovered quickly, and planted a hot right-hander on Glover's chin, but failed to follow his advantage.

BASE BALL ATTRACTIONS.

Scores of League Clubs in the Contest for the Pennant.

CHICAGO, May 17.—Chicago 2, Boston 1. That was the scorer's report yesterday. Other league scores were: At Indianapolis—Indianapolis 4, Philadelphia 2; at Detroit—Detroit 2, Washington 0; at Pittsburg—Pittsburg 6, New York 1.

CHICAGO, May 18.—With Krock in the box yesterday, and rain falling during nearly the whole game Anson's pets "put it all over" the Hub athletes to the tune of 9 to 2, which seems to show that Chicago still knows how to play base ball. Flint was catcher and the Boston battery was composed of Sowers and Kelly. Other league scores were: at Detroit—Detroit 7, Washington 1; at Pittsburg—Pittsburg 4, New York 4—game called, darkness; at Indianapolis—Indianapolis-Philadelphia game postponed—rain.

CHICAGO, May 19.—The defeat of Tuesday was fully wiped out by the Chicago league club in the final game of the series yesterday with the men from the Hub. The score was 13 to 0 in favor of Anson's experts, which is a better score than 20 to 5. It was all done in five innings.

CHICAGO, Ill., May 21.—The League record including Saturday's playing is as follows:

Table showing National League scores for various teams.

CHICAGO, May 22.—Yesterday's National league playing gave the following base ball scores: At Indianapolis—Indianapolis 1, Boston 0; at Detroit—Detroit 7, New York 0; at Pittsburg—Pittsburg 5, Washington 0; at Chicago—Chicago 1, Philadelphia 4.

CHICAGO, May 23.—The series of ball games between the home club and the Philadelphia men has not added to the prestige of Anson's athletes this week, the visitors having won two games in succession. Somehow the home nine don't seem able to hit the ball to any great extent, and the Quakers are putting up an undeniably good game. The League scores yesterday were: At Chicago—Chicago 2, Philadelphia 4; at Pittsburg—Pittsburg 3, Washington 0; at Detroit—Detroit 4, New York 0; at Indianapolis—Indianapolis 2, Boston 4.

Convention of Labor Bureaus.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., May 21.—The sixth annual convention of the state bureaus of labor is in session. About twenty bureaus are represented. Col. Rice, commissioner of the Massachusetts bureau, and also chief of the United States bureau, is president, and the Hon. G. R. Hutchens, of the Iowa state bureau, secretary. General Master Workman Powderly, of the Knights of Labor, is expected here to participate in the proceedings. Prof. Smart, of Purdue university, and Prof. Woodford, of the Indiana state university, will present papers.

Two Killed by an Explosion.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., May 23.—An explosion and fire, resulting in the loss of two lives and about \$10,000 worth of property, occurred in the cellar of Stanton and Hackett's chair manufactory at 233 South Second street yesterday morning shortly before 10 o'clock. The names of those killed are: John Curley, aged 15, and David Slayton, a 26-year-old colored man. They had been sent to the cellar for varnish, and it is supposed they lighted a match and caused the explosion.

The Cincinnati Musical Festival.

CINCINNATI, O., May 23.—The musical festival which began last night was highly successful. About 4,000 people attended. The programme contained "Weber's Hymn," in which Lillie Lehman, Theodore Tost, Emma Cranch, and Mr. Whitney were soloists; Beethoven's "Symphony No. 5," Wagner's "Faust" overture, and J. K. Paine's cantata, composed for the festival. Mr. Paine was called out at the conclusion of his cantata.

Advice to Mothers.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup should always be used for children teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for diarrhoea. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

THE OLD SONGS.

"I cannot sing the old songs, The truth must be confessed; Their melodies awaken No memories in my breast. Although the old familiar words Are dearer far than gold, I cannot sing the old songs, So let the truth be told. I cannot sing the old songs, But when I read them o'er, The scenes of boyhood's happy days To memory they restore; The rippling stream, the grassy vale, The deep umbrageous wood— I cannot sing the old songs, I often wish I could. I cannot sing the old songs, The soul inspiring lays Which lift the veil that hides the past, Restoring youthful days. Although the words I know full well, The airs I cannot meet, I cannot sing the old songs, For I am deaf and dumb. —Boston Courier.

He Had Had Too Much Horse.



Miss Sistare (to Parisian nobleman)—Are you fond of horses, Count de Boulevard? Count de Boulevard (hoisting his shoulder blades)—Well, I zink I likes the roas' bif bettaire. I eats trop de horse in ze siege de Paris.—Texas Siftings.

Had Been There Before.

A German brass band played for ten minutes in front of a store on Main street, Orange, yesterday afternoon. "Let's heat a nickel and have some fun," said one of the clerks. The nickel was promptly heated and laid on the counter. The clerks grinned and waited. Soon the big man, who fills the brass horn with wind, entered. "There's a nickel on the counter," said one of the clerks carelessly. The big man walked up to the counter, glanced curiously at the nickel, drew from his pocket a piece of leather and picked up the coin. Turning to the clerk he smiled expansively and said: "Danke you, clever young man." "He's been there before," said the first clerk, and then all hands went to work as if he had just returned from a funeral.—Newark Journal.

Her Idea of Pepper.

She was a wee maiden of 3 summers, accustomed to the simplicity of the nursery table, and with a taste unvisited by the use of spices. She was allowed the other day to come to the family table, where she was especially interested in the mystery of the pepper box, an article which had apparently never before come within the limits of her observation. She watched with close attention while her papa peppered something, and then with the utmost gravity and politeness, she extended her plate, saying: "Please put a little dirt on mine, too, papa."—Boston Courier.

Two Educational Systems.

Tramp (some years hence)—I see you belong to a college society. So do I. Can't you lend me a dime? Man of Wealth—Yes, I am a graduate of Yale and I make \$10,000 a year as a base ball pitcher. Here, take this \$5 bill and get a square meal. What college did you attend? "I am a graduate of Harvard. They don't teach baseball at Harvard. Thanks."—Omaha World.

Gentle by Trade.

Spectator (at a boxing match)—Those two fellows don't amount to anything. They slowly put their arms out and in as if they were afraid of hitting each other. Usher—They are new men, and have only been in training six or eight years. It takes a long while for a man to get over early habits. "What did they used to be?" "They were professional carpet beaters."—Omaha World.

Peace and Practice.

"I think," said the minister, who was visiting a parishioner, "that it is easier to coax children than to drive them. Gentle words are more effective than harsh ones." "I think so, too," said the lady, tenderly. Then she raised her window and suddenly shouted to her boy: "Johnnie, if you don't come in out of that mud puddle I'll break your back."—Columbus Dispatch.

Mutual Confidence.

Woman (to tramp)—And if I give you a nice plate of hash you promise to eat some wood? Tramp—Yes, 'm. Woman (doubtfully)—I don't know whether I can put confidence in you or not. Tramp (reproachfully)—You ought to, ma'am. I have confidence enough in you to eat the hash.—Harper's Bazar.

Modest Antiquity.

We see that Bologna is to celebrate her eighth centenary next June. Ah, hal We have some at our boarding house much older than that, but beyond striking fire when it is hit with a carving form, it doesn't call public attention to its age at all.—Burdette in Brooklyn Eagle.

A High Office.

"What does your father do?" asked the teacher of the new boy. "He's a contractor," was the reply. "A railroad contractor?" "No, ma'am, a sausage contractor. He ties up the ends after another man has filled 'em."—Tid Bits.

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MICHIGAN CENTRAL TIME TABLE (REVISED) MAY 13, 1888. EASTWARD and WESTWARD tables with stations and times.

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THE GREAT ENGLISH PRESCRIPTION Cures Weakness, Spermatorrhoea, Emissions, Impotency and all Diseases caused by self-abuse or indiscretion. One package \$1.00.

If Yapple's health permits, he will probably second Cleveland's nomination in behalf of Michigan. The seed that Yapple sowed two years ago is bearing fruit among the voters.

THE supreme court of Michigan has declared the local option law unconstitutional. Our readers will remember that we stated that the law was unconstitutional before the local option election. There was no doubt about it. Among other failings, the last republican legislature had that of cumbering up the statutes with illegal and unconstitutional legislation. The Detroit Tribune announces the intention of the republicans to pass another option act next winter. Possibly the democrats may control the legislature and republican opportunity to trundle to the prohibitionists will be gone.

As will be seen in our news column, a special meeting of the tax payers of the city will be held June 4th, to vote upon the raising of \$5,000 for the general fund. This election has been rendered necessary by the fact that the city treasury is empty. This emptiness is beyond the power of the present council to remedy. Contracts for waterworks and for electric lighting must be fulfilled. These alone use up the amount allowed to be raised in the general and waterworks fund by taxation. The poor of the city remain to be cared for, police protection must be given; the fire department must be provided for, the salaries of the recorder, city attorney, city engineer, members of the board of health, etc., must be paid and a thousand and one other expenses met. Last year the total expenses of the city reached \$38,000. While the expenses this year will be less, it must be remembered that there is nothing in the treasury with which to meet them. The council is permitted by the charter to order warrants up to the amount in the treasury February 1st next. On that day the \$21,000 which may be raised by the charter, will become due. Six thousand dollars of this will belong to the ward funds and cannot be touched for other purposes. The waterworks and electric lights will take \$11,000 and over. There is not much left then for general city purposes, even if all the tax levy of this year is spent before it is in the treasury, which is manifestly very bad financial policy. Previous councils have spent the money belonging to this council to spend, and half the liquor tax this year goes to the county. This is the financial condition which renders it necessary for the council to ask the taxpayers for an appropriation of \$5,000 to pay ordinary current expenses.

Mrs. Ormiston Chant, of London, Eng., who came to this country as the representative of the women of England at the recent International Council of women in Washington, D. C., and who has since been speaking in many of our larger cities, is to visit Ann Arbor early in June and will speak here on "Philanthropic Work in London." In a recent visit to Chicago she spoke eight or nine times, crowding to overflowing the largest churches and halls, and has met with equal favor in Washington, Philadelphia and Boston. Mrs. Chant is not only very eminent in charitable, reformatory and educational work in England, but she has probably no superior among English women as a popular speaker.

Rev. A. S. Carman, of the Lincoln Park church, Cincinnati, O., has received a unanimous and hearty call to become pastor of the important church of Ann Arbor, Mich. A brother pastor writes as follows: "Mr. Carman is a young man of unusual power. In this, his first pastorate, he has more than fulfilled the splendid promise of his college and seminary career. His place is at the front. His remarkable intellectual grip and rare scholarship, fit him for the important church in the nobility, consecration, and manifold gifts of heart and brain have so endeared him to the denomination in the Queen City and the State, that he will be greatly missed, not only by the church he has so nobly served, but by the entire Baptist brotherhood."—N. Y. Examiner.

ANN ARBOR MARKET REPORT

PRICES PAID BY MERCHANTS.	
ANN ARBOR, May 24.	
Beef dressed per cwt.	6 00 @ 6 75
Butter per lb.	17 @ 17
Beef on foot, per cwt	3 00 @ 4 00
Chickens, per lb.	12 @ 12
Calf Skins,.....	5 1/2 @ 6 1/2
Clover seed, per bu.	3 70 @ 4 00
Corn.....	26 @ 30
Deacon Skins.....	15 @ 30
Dressed Pork per cwt	6 50 @ 6 75
Eggs per doz.....	@ 11
Honey per lb.....	@ 16
Hogs on foot per cwt	4 50 @ 5 00
Hides green.....	@ 4 1/2
Hides, cured.....	5 @ 5 1/2
Hay, Timothy No. 1	10 00 @ 12 00
per ton.....	@ 10 00
Hay, Timothy, No. 2	8 00 @ 10 00
per ton.....	@ 9
Lard per lb.....	@ 9
Lamb.....	@ 9
Mutton per lb dressed	7 @ 8
Oats.....	35 @ 40
Potatoes per bu.....	90 @ 1 00
Sheep pelts.....	50 @ 1 50
Straw per ton.....	@ 4 00
Turkeys per lb.....	@ 12
Tallow.....	3 @ 3 1/2
Wheat.....	5 @ 6
Wool.....	23 @ 90
Wool.....	23 @ 25

PERSONAL.

D. Cramer was in Dundee, Monday. Sam Langsdorf has returned from Alpena. Mrs. Knight, of the third ward, is very ill. Druggist J. J. Goodyear was in Detroit, Monday. Mr. P. Hindelonz, of Chelsea, was in the city, yesterday. Miss Jennie Vandeventer is very low with typhoid fever. Dr. W. B. Smith returned from Iowa last Thursday night. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Wells will visit Europe this summer. Phillip Stimson, of East Saginaw, is visiting friends in the city. Aids. Herz and Martin visited the metropolis on Thursday last. Master Sammy McCollum, of Ypsilanti, was in the city Saturday. Judge and Mrs. T. M. Cooley went to Bay City, Wednesday to visit their son. Miss Allie Cramer has been asked to accept the alto in the Baptist quartette. Miss Helen M. Osgood, of Hamburg, has been visiting in the city this week. Mrs. Huger and Miss Zetta Staley, of Howell, spent Sunday with Mrs. Farmer. Oscar O. Sorg will paint the Michigan Central depots in Marshall and Bay City. Mr. David Henning accompanied by his daughter, will go to Europe next month. County Clerk Howlett returned Monday from a visit to relatives in Unadilla and Lyndon. J. T. Jacobs attended the meeting of the republican state committee in Detroit, Tuesday. D. Cramer and wife will visit their daughter, Mrs. B. S. Waite, of Menominee, this summer. Edward Lohr and friend Charles Bickel, of Toledo, spent Sunday with Mr. Lohr's parents on Packard street. Mrs. S. W. Clarkson and daughters, go to Manchester to-morrow for several weeks visit at Mrs. Clarkson's father's. Mrs. Otis Haven, of Evanston, Ill., has returned to Ann Arbor to reside with her mother, Mrs. A. J. Sutherland. George Grossmann, now in the drug business with his brother in Saginaw City, was visiting friends here, Tuesday and Wednesday. Mr. E. G. Hall returned to his college duties from Hooperston Ill., last Saturday, where the remains of his wife were taken for burial. His infant son died, soon after reaching Hooperston. Mrs. C. Stone, of south Fifth street, returned from Kalamazoo last Wednesday evening, where she went to attend the funeral of her father-in-law, Mr. Stone, who died very suddenly while visiting his son in Detroit.

UNIVERSITY.

The Glee Club sing in Battle Creek to-night. The christian association has 364 members. The corner stone of Newberry hall will be laid to-morrow afternoon. The Cass Club defeated the University nine on the fair grounds, Saturday, by a score of 9 to 3. L. Z. Calkins has resigned his position on the Argonaut and returned home on account of the death of his father. Prof. Demmon doesn't have much faith in Donnelly's cryptogram. He very sensibly believes that Shakespeare wrote Shakespeare. The Oracle board for next year, elected last Saturday, consists of Messrs. Munn, Holland, Stillman, Walker, Lowenhaupt, Thayer, Butler and Seeley, and Misses Valentine and Atkins. The Nu Sigma Nu fraternity held a very fine banquet last Thursday evening, at which Drs. G. A. Haynes, V. C. Vaughan, G. A. Hendricks, G. E. Frothingham and Donald Maclean and C. O. Boyce, N. Dudley Kean and Arthur H. Coe responded to toasts. The University democratic club will hold their next meeting to-morrow evening in the law lecture room, at 7:30 o'clock. Orations will be delivered by W. C. H. Keough, and J. E. Bell and an essay will be read by H. B. Brasewell. A very interesting general discussion will follow. Field day to-morrow at the fair grounds, contests commencing at 1:30 sharp. Among the contests are dashes of 100, 200 and 240 yards, 120 yards hurdle race, light and heavy weight boxing, mile walk throwing shot, running long jump, running high jump, standing broad jump, mile bicycle race and pole vault. The students christian association have elected C. E. Goddard, president; E. M. Coolidge, Miss Rosewarne, P. M. Carothers, J. S. Grant, Miss L. M. Trowbridge, G. A. Holiday and M. S. Flint, vice presidents; E. C. Warriner, recording secretary; W. H. Nichols, assistant; R. E. Hieronymous, treasurer; Miss Franc Crosby, corresponding secretary; L. Kubler, librarian; C. V. Nafe, chorister; E. E. Brown, M. A. Macey and Miss Ellen E. Wheeler, Bulletin editors. LAYING THE CORNER STONE. The Students Christian Association will lay the corner stone of Newberry hall to-morrow (Saturday) at 5 p. m. Under the corner stone will be placed copies of the records of the association, the Bulletin, and other college publications and two of the city papers, including the ARGUS. Bishop Harris has been invited to be present and will give an address if he can be present. Hon. James McMillan has been invited to represent Mrs. Newberry. The exercises will consist of music; reading the scriptures by Rev. Dr. Ramsay; Laying the corner stone; prayer by Rev. Dr. Eddy; address by President Angell and remarks in behalf of the association by C. E. Goddard; A. E. Jennings will discuss the finances of the society and Rev. Dr. Earp will give the benediction.

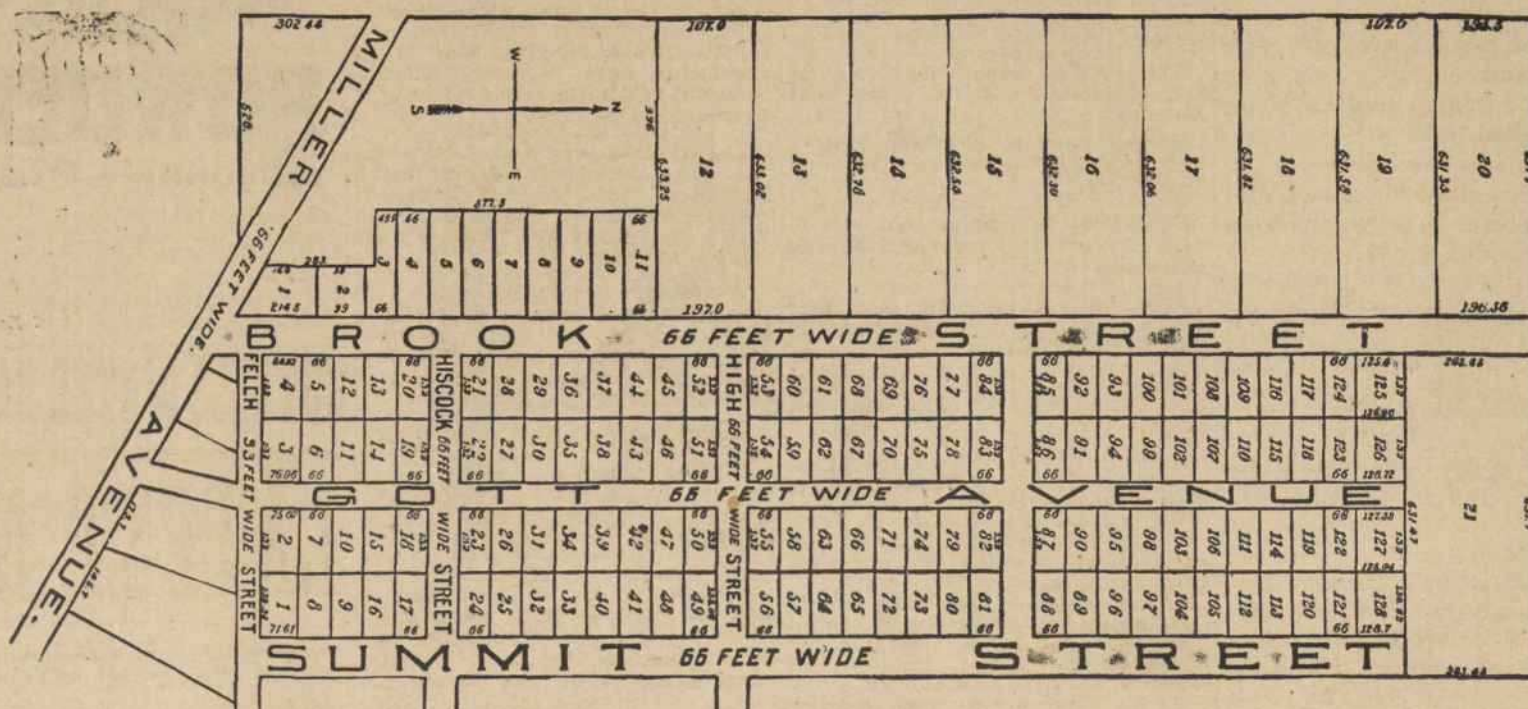
Marriage Licenses.

Issued during the week by County Clerk Howlett.	
Richard Woods.....	Ann Arbor..... 25
Ella Wilson.....	Ypsilanti..... 23
Chas. A. Fray.....	Whitmore Lake..... 22
Tillie C. Deyle.....	Whitmore Lake..... 21
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W. D. Adams having purchase the Bazaar of F. Stoffel, will commence Saturday, May 19th, a genuine reduction sale to last for 30 days. Everything will be sold at a big discount to make room for new goods and also for a large bankrupt stock just purchased. Attend the sale and get cream of bargains.

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Too many things to tell. You wouldn't stop to read, and the printer's bill might surprise us—although we are quite used to large bills.

The conclusion is simply, come to us to supply your wants, even though the newspapers don't refer to them, and remember that there are many bargains here that never get published.

The whole town seems to be looking this way for Black and Colored French Sateens, and for a half dozen other kinds.

60 and 65c Dress Goods for 50c. Dress Goods that have never before sold under 60c and 65c, that have been thought rare value at 65c, a happy trade turn lets us drop 15c from last week's prices.

Some very pretty Coaching Umbrellas have just come. They will be in great demand soon as the season is young.

We commence a Hosiery Sale to-morrow morning that for quality of goods and lowness of prices will surpass anything we have ever done.

We have been advertising fast BLACK HOSIERY the last two months and yet there seem to be but very few ladies in Ann Arbor who know that we have in stock such an article.

Every Stocking is stamped VICTORIA FAST BLACK, none others are genuine.

Try them, and if they are not as represented return them and get your money.

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CAUTION! Don't be led by some house who say they buy goods for cash cheaper than their neighbors. There are other houses who have cash also and can buy as cheap as the next.

GREAT SMASH UP IN THE WALL PAPER MARKET. Look at the astonishingly low prices:

Best quality brown - 5 to 8 cts a roll. Best quality white blanks 6 to 10 c. a roll. Best quality Satins - 10 to 18 c. a roll.

Largest Stock to select from in the city. The best curtain pole with trimmings complete ONLY 40 CENTS.

DON'T FAIL TO VISIT The leading Book, Stationery and Wall Paper House in the city before making your purchases. GEO. WAHR, MASONIC BLOCK

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Will Root is with M. D. Adams at the bazaar.

Ed. Kuebler has a new Expert Columbia bicycle.

Dean & Co. have put in large new plate glass windows.

The Methodist strawberry festival came off last evening.

A. L. Noble has purchased a typical little Indian pony for his children.

The Agricultural and Horticultural society have raised \$350 of the \$700 they owe.

The second day of the fair this year will be free to children under 12 years of age.

S. A. Moran will run the chances of breaking his neck on a new Champion bicycle.

The pension examining board of surgeons for this district meet next Tuesday.

A new sidewalk has been laid in front of McCall's second hand store on Fourth street.

C. L. Denmon, who has been very ill with inflammatory rheumatism, is slowly recovering.

Jacob Lentz, of Lodi, has purchased a bicycle to take advantage of the good roads in Lodi.

Mr. E. Clancy, of the fourth ward, who fell and broke one of his ribs last week, is recovering.

Rev. Dr. Ramsay will preach a prohibition sermon next Sunday evening, entitled rum and ruin.

The high school nine play a base ball game in Manchester to-morrow with the nine at that place.

Jacobus & Son are building a house for Mr. John Seigler, on Maynard street just off of Main.

C. H. Gibson has rented the Devaney store on Huron street and will move his barber shop into it.

Editor Chilson, of the South Lyon Picket, came over the other day to get an American Champion bicycle.

The Haines Bros. concert grand piano placed in Hobart Hall by Lew Clement on trial, has been accepted.

The remains of Mrs. Mary Woodruff were brought here from Detroit, Wednesday, for burial in Forest Hill cemetery.

The colored Baptist society have broken ground for a church edifice, on the corner of Fourth and Pontiac streets.

Joe Polhemus will be appointed the extra letter carrier for this city. The new substitute carrier has not yet been selected.

There was a very large attendance at the dance given by the Ann Arbor City band in Germania hall last Friday evening.

Koch & Henne have something to say in another column concerning their new stock of furniture, which has just arrived.

Lawyer Thompson is now an elder of the Evangelist Mission, which convened at Toledo, Ohio, Wednesday the 23rd.

There will be no meeting of Golden Rule Lodge F. and A. M., Friday night, as called, on account of the Dundee visitation.

Charles F. Bates, of Lima, has been tendered the position of farmer at a Dakota Indian agency. The salary is \$75 a month.

The Ann Arbor town board of review will be in session in the basement of the court house Monday and Tuesday of next week.

Charles T. Parshall of Ann Arbor town has the finest strawberry bed in this section, it is claimed by those that ought to know.

The main street base ball nine has arranged to play a game of base ball in Manchester, decoration day, with the Manchester nine.

Heinzmann & Laubengayer's new wheat elevator is being raised this week. The contract calls for completion by June 20.

Andrew Renschler, of the first ward, fell from a wagon while going to the Crawford fire, Tuesday last, and broke his arm below the elbow.

D. Loomis, H. Hawkins, J. L. Stone and Fred Besmer returned Tuesday from a two week's sojourn at the Strawberry club house.

Grossman & Schlenker have the contract for covering the roof and sides of Heinzmann & Laubengayer's wheat elevator with corrugated iron.

Mrs. Fairchild, mother of the late Stephen Fairchild and of Mrs. George Greville, died in Detroit and was buried Wednesday, in Ypsilanti.

Mrs. Elizabeth McKeever, formerly of Ann Arbor, died in Detroit, May 16, aged 58 years and was buried in the Northfield cemetery last Friday.

Washtenaw Chapter, R. A. M., will visit Mt. Vernon Chapter of Dundee this evening where they will confer the Royal Arch, returning about midnight.

Rev. Andrew Brown, step father of Prof. C. M. Gayley, of this city, died at Iron Mountain, May 14. The remains were brought here for interment.

The local officers were on the lookout Saturday for the two tramps, one with blue overalls, who were accused of stealing four razors and \$60 in money in Hamburg.

Lew Stevens, for this past two years with Southard, has purchased the barber shop of A. Moore, at No. 2 East Huron street. Mr. Moore will remove to Detroit.

Among the new features for the Washtenaw Agricultural and Horticultural fair this fall will be a pony race for boys, and a farmer's race, free to all farmer's horses;

Last Monday, Caspar Rinsey received a crate of tomatoes and cucumbers from H. C. Clark's Florida garden. Cucumbers eight cents each, tomatoes fifteen cents per pound.

Cramer & Corbin have commenced a suit against Wm. H. Siegfried and his bondsmen, of Tecumseh, for \$5,000 for selling liquor to one Wade Richardson, which it is claimed caused his death.

The dead lock in the Ypsilanti council for city clerk was broken last Monday evening, Frank Joslyn, Esq., being re-elected clerk by a vote of 9 to 1. The deadlock on marshal still continues.

Mrs. Ellen A. Fox, wife of Charles Fox, of the Fourth ward, died May 17, of consumption, aged 23 years, 4 months and 25 days. Funeral was held last Sunday afternoon at the Baptist church.

D. Knapp, of the Sanborn map and publishing Co., has been in the city this week making a map of the business portion of the city and the public buildings in the interest of the fire companies.

Mrs. Prudence West, wife of the late John West, died at her residence on Liberty street Monday, May 21, of pneumonia, aged 79 years. The funeral was held at the house Wednesday afternoon.

The fire alarm rang Wednesday morning. The fire proved to be in the kitchen of Thos. Flowers' house on Twelfth street. It was extinguished with a few pails of water before much damage was done.

The fair grounds will be open to all who subscribe to raise the debt of the society from 7 a. m. to 7 p. m., each day, excepting Sunday, to exercise their horses. Tickets can be secured of the general superintendent.

Walter Toop, the State street baker, has rented the A. R. Hall property on North Main street, and fitted it up for a bakery. He has given the place a general overhauling, papering and painting, and everything looks neat and clean.

The Ann Arbor Browns are being reorganized for the season, and are open to challenge from any amateur club in Michigan. Chas. Kline will probably manage the boys, to whom communications may be addressed.

Miss Baessler, who teaches in District No. 15, Fractional, Ann Arbor and Scio, on the Dexter road, is earning high praise from those who are aware of the great advancement being made by the young scholars under her charge.

The Wrought Iron Bridge Co., of Canton, Ohio, was the lowest of eleven bidders for the bridge to be built by the town over the Huron at Geddesburg. This is the same firm that built the bridge on the Whitmore Lake road. Their bid was \$2,000.

William Bush sold 14 Shropshire lambs, to be taken to Green Oak, amounting to \$240. F. B. and C. Braun sold seven lambs to be taken to the same place to the amount of \$105. Mr. Bush has been offered \$95 for two ewes which he refused.

Mrs. L. C. Risdon will build a new \$3,500 residence on her lot on the corner of Fourth and Liberty streets. She has sold the house now on the lot to M. C. Peterson, who has purchased two lots in the second ward and will remove the house to them. It will be divided and will make two houses.

The fire alarm on Tuesday was caused by the burning of the barn and out-houses belonging to David Crawford, of the fourth ward, just inside the city limits. The contents of the barn was a total loss. They were cleaning house and all their bedding was in the barn.

The meeting to organize a humane society in this city last Friday evening adjourned until 7:30 o'clock next Tuesday evening at Firemen's hall. The committee on organization is ready to report and a full attendance is requested. Ladies especially are invited to be present.

The University Prohibition club are planning for a grand ratification meeting on the return of the Washtenaw and University delegates to the National convention of the college boys and of the party. Dr. I. K. Funk, editor of the Voice of N. Y. City, will be the speaker.

William S. Ross died of heart disease, Tuesday night. He had retired in apparently his usual health and passed away while sleeping. He was sixty-two years, five months and twenty-three days old. The funeral services will be held this morning.

J. T. Jacobs having sold his farm two and one half miles from Ann Arbor, on the south Ypsilanti road, is selling off his stock, farm implements, etc., at private sale. He will not hold an auction. Call at the store of J. T. Jacobs & Co., or at the farm at once for bargains.

Miss Mary A. Everest died Friday afternoon, of general debility, after a long illness. She was fifty-two years of age. The funeral services were held Sunday afternoon from her brother's, Wm. B. Everest's residence, on South Division street, and were conducted by Rev. Dr. Ramsay and Haskell.

The last meeting of the Tuesday Club for the season was held this week. Mrs. Jaycox was re-elected president and Miss Condon secretary. The sessions of the club will be resumed in October next, and the same course which has made the club so popular this year, will be continued.

Miss Lottie A. Sage, daughter of James R. Sage, of the third ward, died Monday, the 21st of typhoid fever, aged 18 years, 2 months and 11 days. She was a favorite among her acquaintances and her death is a sad blow to her parents. Funeral services were held at her home, Wednesday afternoon.

"The Indian Summer Time." A beautiful song and chorus, by Will L. Thompson, author of Gathering Shells on the Sea Shore, Come Where the Lilies Bloom, etc., etc. It is one of the prettiest songs ever published; any music dealer will mail it for 40 cents. Published by W. L. Thompson & Co., East Liverpool, Ohio.

The Michigan Central railroad will sell land excursion tickets at one fare for the round trip on March 20th, April 3rd and 24th, May 8th and 22nd, June 5th and 19th, 1888, to points in the States of Minnesota, Dakota, Nebraska, Kansas, Arkansas, Texas and New Mexico, tickets limited to 30 days from date of sale. Will also on March 28th, April 9th and 23rd, 1888, sell round trip tickets at one fare to a large number of points in the South, south of the Ohio river and Bowling Green, Ky., tickets limited to 30 days from the date of sale.

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UNDERTAKING A SPECIALTY. KOCH & HENNEL.

To-morrow evening the Chequamegon Orchestra will give a vocal and instrumental concert at the Saline opera house, with Mr. E. N. Bilbie, as solo violinist; Mr. Meade Vestal, cornet soloist; Mr. R. E. Drake trombone soloist; and Mr. James E. Harkins, character vocalist. The lovers of good music will not be disappointed with the orchestra.

Rev. H. J. Lewis, of East Saginaw, has been in the city a few days this week for the purpose of effecting an organization of independent colored voters. Mr. Lewis is meeting with good success in organizing clubs and thinks that two thousand out of the seven thousand colored voters in the State will identify themselves with the movement.

Since our report last week the following liquor dealers of Ann Arbor have paid the \$500 tax: F. P. Reimold, Ludwig Walz and Millman & McNally. The following have paid the \$300 tax: Adolph Kemper and Geo. A. Weidlich. John Terns of Ypsilanti has paid \$500 and Geo. C. Kichel \$300. The total amount paid in the county treasury up to yesterday noon was \$23,260, of which \$10,930 was from Ann Arbor city.

The monthly meeting of the Pomological society will be held in the basement of the court house at 2 o'clock p. m., June 2d. The topics for discussion will be: Fruit prospects from present appearances; the uses of small fruits; berry pickers; does it pay to dry and preserve fruit; creamery; question box. Full report of committee on fruit exchange, exhibit of fruit and flowers. Shippers of fruit especially invited.

Last Monday night Mr. C. L. Tuomey, of Ann Arbor Town, was awakened by the barking of dogs in his pasture. On calling his hired man and investigating, they discovered three dogs chasing and killing his sheep. The dogs ran away at Mr. Tuomey's approach, but as it was bright moonlight he thinks he knows the dogs and says they were from the city. He found some 20 sheep killed and several badly injured. Justice of the peace, J. D. Williams made an appraisal and put in a claim against the town for \$94.

Lambert Dresselhouse died at his home in Freedom, at six o'clock last Thursday evening, May 17th. He had been ill for about nine months, and at the last passed away without a struggle. During his long illness he had been tenderly cared for by the loving hands of his children. Mr. Dresselhouse was sixty-two years old. He was a man highly respected by those who knew him, a good neighbor and an indulgent father. He left eight children, four sons and four daughters. His wife, Mrs. Dresselhouse, preceded him over the river of death by thirteen years. The funeral services were held on Sunday afternoon and were largely attended. Rev. Mr. Vaulkner spoke to the friends in German, and Presiding Elder Copley, of Monroe, in English. The remains were taken to the Rowe cemetery for interment.

FOR SALE.—One and one-half story house of seven rooms, three lots, barn, etc. Terms easy. Eugene K. Frueauf, 48 South Main Street.

To the People of Ann Arbor and Washtenaw County:

As will be noticed in another column of this paper, I have bought the interest of Mr. J. Koch in the furniture business of Koch & Haller, with the intention of carrying on the furniture business at the same place with full as large an assortment of goods as the old firm ever carried. I shall make every effort to always have on hand the best assortment and latest designs of Bed Room, Parlor, Dining, Library and Office Furniture, and especially for this spring trade my stock is most complete, and certainly will enable any one to make a suitable selection. I also make to order, in all kinds of wood, special patterns of Desks, Book Cases, Cabinets, Tables, Mantels, Dressers, Chiffonier, and will guarantee satisfaction. Manufacturing Parlor Goods myself I am prepared to fill any desired style of Sofa, Rocker, Easy or Reception Chair. In Drapery I carry an extensive line of Turcomans, Madras, Tapestry, Crete, Silk and Lace Curtains.

Hoping to receive a share of your kind patronage, I remain, respectfully, MARTIN HALLER, Successor to KOCH & HALLER 52 S. Main and 4 W. Liberty St.

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SALESMEN WANTED. Pushing, Reliable Men, to canvass for NURSERY STOCK, Permanent Employment Guaranteed. Salary and Expenses Paid. Apply at once, stating age. GLEN BROTHERS, ROCHESTER, N. Y.

Two Bishops Chosen.

Balloting in the Methodist Episcopal Conference.

VINCENT AND FITZGERALD ELECTED

The Pastoral Limit Extended to Five Years—Southern Presbyterians Discussing Evolution—Baptist Anniversaries Come to a Close—Proceedings at Philadelphia—A Jewish Rabbi on George Washington.

NEW YORK, May 23.—The fact that yesterday was the day set by the Methodist conference for the election of bishops brought together an audience that filled every seat in the Metropolitan Opera house. Bishop Malabrou presided, and the first business brought up was the appointment of a bishop for India and Malaysia. The project was opposed by Dr. Lamahan, and was finally laid over without action. A resolution was adopted for a special session Thursday evening to discuss the subject of prohibition.



REV. EARL CRANSTON. JOHN H. VINCENT. C. C. MCABE. BISHOP TAYLOR.

tained the names of the whole number of bishops to be elected or not, and the voting was commenced. It took 207 votes to elect, and the first ballot resulted: Dr. J. H. Vincent, 215; Dr. James N. Fitzgerald, 195; Dr. J. A. Goodsell, 158; Dr. J. P. Newman, 156; Dr. J. W. Joyce, 145; Dr. Payne, 130; Drs. James M. King and Earl Cranston, 128 each; Dr. Kynett, 119; H. A. Butts, 115. There were two candidates who received less than 100 votes, and over fifty who received but one each. On motion the time in which to elect bishops was extended.

A second ballot was taken and the conference then took a recess until 7 o'clock in the evening, when the result of the count will be made known.

At the opening of the evening session the second ballot for bishops was announced as follows: Vincent, 233; Fitzgerald, 274; Newman, 229; Joyce, 217; Goodsell, 212; Cranston, 144; Payne, 137; Butts, 110; Kynett, 110. No one having received a sufficient number of votes to be chosen, another ballot was ordered.

While the ballot was being counted Rev. Dr. Frank Bristol, of Chicago, addressed the conference in favor of the adoption of the minority report of the itinerancy committee providing for the extension of the pastoral limit from three to five years. This report was adopted after a spirited discussion.

The result of the third ballot was then announced as follows: John H. Vincent, of Illinois, 311; J. H. Fitzgerald, of New Jersey, 310; J. P. Newman, 299; J. W. Joyce, 290; D. A. Goodsell, 250; R. Cranston, 145; B. H. Payne, 148; H. A. Butt, 111; A. J. Kynett, 108.

Revs. Vincent and Fitzgerald were declared elected, and balloting for the remaining three bishops to be chosen was proceeded with. The fourth ballot resulted in no choice, and the conference adjourned before the result of the fifth ballot was announced.

Bishop Vincent was born in Tusculoosa, Ala., Feb. 23, 1832; was educated at Newark Wesleyan institute and the Milton and Lewisburg academies; has held pastorates at MeVeytown, Pa., and various places in Pennsylvania, New Jersey, and Illinois. He was last located at Rock River, Ill., and represents that district in the conference. He resides at present at Plainfield, New Jersey. He is one of the most learned men in the ministry, a noted authority on religious antiquities, author of various works, and was, with Lewis Miller, founder of the Chautauqua assembly.

Bishop Fitzgerald has for twenty years been presiding elder of the Newark conference. He was educated as a lawyer at Princeton, and studied in the office of the late Secretary Frelinghuysen, but abandoned the law for the pulpit. He is about 45 years old, and a very learned man.

Freshly-learned Discuss Home Missions.
PHILADELPHIA, May 23.—Home missions was the subject that occupied most of the day in the Presbyterian general assembly yesterday. The first proposition was one to change the time of the week of prayer, but it was decided not to do so. A committee of seven was reported to act with the Methodists on the subject of Sunday observance.

A long and interesting document on the operations of the board of home missions was then read by Dr. Norris, in which it was stated that the board had succeeded in liquidating a debt of \$21,681 during the past year, and had a small cash balance to carry over. An increase of receipts of \$130,000 over the preceding year was noted. The number of missionaries aided by the board was 1,486, and 17,277 members were added to the churches under the board's care. The report was accepted and members of the board whose terms expire this year were reappointed.

A recommendation was adopted that a committee be appointed to revise the proof texts of the standards. Rev. S. T. Lowrie, of this city, was appointed chairman.

Close of the Baptist Anniversaries.
WASHINGTON CITY, May 23.—The Baptist anniversaries closed yesterday; also the meeting of the missionary union. In the business meeting of the union various reports were presented and officers elected. Rev. L. A. Gould made a brief address, in which he pointed out the disproportion existing between the means provided for the missionary work at Ningpo, China, and the population there being one Baptist missionary to 13,000,000 of population. A resolution was offered providing that the next annual session be opened with a three-hour prayer service. One member said that he hoped those who voted for the resolution would be present at the prayer meetings. There had been time enough in Washington to pray, but the brethren had been spending their time going to Mount Vernon or listening to speeches in congress. Dr. Colby, from the committee on place and preacher, made

a report which was adopted recommending that Boston be selected as the place of the next annual meeting. The session then closed with prayer.

Evolution on Trial at Baltimore.

BALTIMORE, May 23.—Dr. Woodrow, of the Southern Presbyterian church, who has been for two days defending his position on evolution, for which he was condemned by the Georgia synod some time ago, concluded his defense yesterday in the general assembly of the church south.

Rev. William Adams, of Georgia, replied to Dr. Woodrow, and defended the action of the synod in suspending Mr. Woodrow because of his evolution theory. He said that Woodrow's doctrine tended to unsettle the minds of the church people, and that the question should be disposed of by the convention now and forever.

Judge Haskel, of Memphis, followed in defense of Mr. Woodrow. The judge said that the question was one that could not rightly be judged by the convention. Although the standards of the church and the gospel of Christ always remained the same, the interpretations were often changed by time.

At 10:30 p. m. the convention adjourned until to-day, when Dr. Strickler will close the argument, in opposition to Dr. Woodrow's theory.

Washington Compared to Moses.

WASHINGTON CITY, May 21.—The eighth session of the Jewish Ministers' association began in the synagogue yesterday. The association was called to order by the president, Rev. Dr. Gustav Goebel, of New York. In his message the doctor said: "For the first time in the history of our association we meet in the national capital, in the city that bears the name of one on whom the most honorable title was bestowed that can adorn the memory of man—'Father of his country.' He is to the American people what Moses is to the Jew. Both are types of Republicanism whose illustrious example will remain a source of inspiration for all time to come." The secretary's and treasurer's reports were presented, showing the flourishing condition of the association.

Foreign Clergymen Embargoed.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., May 23.—Judge Wallace, of the United States court, has overruled the demurrer of the Holy Trinity church, New York city, to the district attorney's complaint that Rev. E. Walpole Warren, pastor of that church, was imported from London under contract of service for the church. The court holds that while congress may not have intended the act against foreign contract labor to apply to ministers, it does so apply and its plain language must be obeyed.

Refused a W. C. T. U. Request.

WABASH, Ind., May 23.—One thousand gray-haired men sat in the tabernacle of the Dunkard church yesterday and voted against permitting the Woman's Christian Temperance union to hold meetings in the tabernacle. In refusing the request which had been made them, the committee explained that for over 100 years their church had never been used for any but religious purposes, and they did not think it proper to commence it now.

GREAT TALENT ON THE STAGE.

The Benefit in Honor of Lester Wallack Highly Successful.

NEW YORK, May 22.—The testimonial and benefit performance in honor of Lester Wallack at the Metropolitan Opera house was highly successful, from both artistic and pecuniary standpoints. The audience of about 5,000 represented the best known people of the literary, artistic, and mercantile world of the metropolis. Over \$21,000 was realized. Hamlet was superbly rendered, with Edwin Booth and Lawrence Barrett as "Hamlet" and "Ghost," and Modjeska as "Ophelia." Joseph Jefferson as "First Grave Digger," John Gilbert as "Polonius," Frank May as the "King," Rose Coghlan as the "Player Queen," Rose Eytting as the "Queen," and Herbert Keiley, Joseph Wheelock, Gertrude Kellogg, Rosina Vokes, and many other well-known artists in minor roles. Among the distinguished persons present were Gen. Sherman, Chauncey M. Depew, Gen. Sikes, ex-Judge Noah Davis, Mayor Hewitt, August Belmont, Thomas L. James, and Edward Cooper, forming a committee of arrangement, and scores of others equally well known.

PHIL SHERIDAN SICK.

His Case Pronounced Serious at a Consultation of Physicians.

NEW YORK, May 23.—Specials from Washington state that Gen. Sheridan is very ill, and that several physicians have been in consultation and pronounce the case serious.

Destruction of the Old Congress Hall.

PHILADELPHIA, May 22.—The most disastrous fire in West Philadelphia since the destruction of the Pullman Car shops three years ago occurred when the old Congress hall, of Centennial fame, was destroyed. The building was of brick four-stories high and occupied by the Belmont Iron company. After the Centennial the building was empty for a long time, but in 1882 the firm of Manly & Cooper took possession of it. Two months ago the Belmont Iron company succeeded the Manly-Cooper company. The firm was doing a rushing business, and gave work to about 150 men. F. H. Taylor, president of the company, states that the total loss on the building, machinery and stock will reach \$70,000; almost fully covered by insurance.

"Blinky" Morgan to Hang June 1.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, May 22.—The Supreme Court has handed down several important decisions. In the case of Allen O. Myers for contempt in having libeled the court, jury and prosecuting attorney while the tally-sheet cases were on trial, a motion for leave to file a petition in error was granted. The court overruled the motion of Charles Morgan for leave to file a petition in error to the circuit court of Portage county. This in substance says that "Blinky" Morgan must hang on the day set, June 1. The record is very brief, simply saying: "Motion overruled." The great \$13,000,000 suit between Stevenson Burke and the Hocking Valley railroad has been ordered back to the circuit court for further hearing.

Suits Against Ninety-seven Farmers.

NEW YORK, May 22.—A Kansas City special says: Suits have been begun in the United States court at Denver, Col., against ninety-seven farmers in the best part of the San Luis valley, the lands being claimed by a Dutch company called The United States Freehold Land and Emigration company. The suits involve half a dozen villages, including San Luis, the county seat of Costilla county. The company bought 500,000 acres of land in the Beaubien grant fifteen years ago from Governor Gilpin for \$500,000. The grant was originally made to Charles Beaubien by the governor of New Mexico for a team of horses and a buggy.

THE WEEK IN CONGRESS.

DOINGS OF THE NATIONAL LEGISLATORS AT WASHINGTON.

This Column Shows the Full Proceedings in Both Houses in the National Legislature During the Past Six Days, Condensed to a Necessity, and Made Handy for the Busy Reader.

WASHINGTON CITY, May 16.—In the house Wednesday a bill was passed appropriating \$300,000 for a branch home in Grant county, Indiana, for volunteer disabled soldiers. The debate on the tariff bill was resumed in committee of the whole.

In the senate, after debate, the meat trust investigation was passed with an amendment by Cullom extending the investigation to the railroad routes. The resolution was passed without opposition.

WASHINGTON CITY, May 18.—The senate agreed to the conference report on the Cincinnati exposition Wednesday, and then took up the pension appropriation bill. The question was on the amendment given in these dispatches yesterday, and it was agreed to without division, and the bill passed. Business on the calendar occupied the remainder of the session, and several bills of small interest were passed, and the senate adjourned until Monday.

The house agreed to the Cincinnati exposition bill, as reported by the conference committee, and then resumed the tariff debate. Speeches in favor of the Mills bill were made by Anderson of Illinois, Brockridge of Arkansas, and Cox, and opposed by Peters, Stewart of Vermont, and Mason of Illinois. A night session was held at which the debate was continued, and the house adjourned at a late hour.

WASHINGTON CITY, May 19.—The house spent the whole of yesterday in debate on the tariff, the speakers being Randall, McKinley and Brockridge of Kentucky. A night session, however, was held at which thirty-five private pension bills were passed and adjournment was reached at 10:30.

WASHINGTON CITY, May 22.—Blair introduced a bill in the senate yesterday which practically applies the Mosaic law to the Christian Sunday. A bill appropriating \$17,500 to fire-proof the west end of the Smithsonian institute building was passed. Riddleberger complained that his resolution to debate the fishery treaty in open session was acted upon during his absence from the chamber, and entered a motion for reconsideration, by unanimous consent. Hoar offered a resolution for an inquiry whether the law should be amended to prevent the enlistment of men in time of peace without the consent of their wives. Bills to continue Sault Ste. Marie and establish Grand Rapids as ports of delivery were passed, and the bill to erect postoffice buildings in all towns where the receipts exceed \$3,000 per annum was debated, but without action the senate adjourned.

The house passed the bill creating a department of agriculture and the consular and diplomatic and District appropriation bills. A conference was ordered on the pension appropriation bill, the senate amendments having been non-concurred in. A resolution to investigate the Alaska fur seal fisheries was adopted. Bills were introduced: to pay fourth-class postmasters \$5 additional salary per quarter; to put on the free list articles that can be controlled by trusts, etc. (Springer). The bill granting right-of-way through the Crow reservation to the Billings, Clark's Fork & Cooke City railway was passed, and the house adjourned.

WASHINGTON CITY, May 23.—The senate received a veto yesterday of the bill to allow L. J. Warden, recently postmaster at Lawrence, Kan., \$625 for extra clerk hire. Bills were passed granting right of way to the Milwaukee, Lake Shore & Western railway through the Lac de Flambeau reservation, Wisconsin, and granting \$75,000 for a public building at Jamestown, O. A secret session was held in which Riddleberger's resolution to debate the fisheries treaty in open session was defeated. The house bill to establish a department of labor was taken up and passed, and a conference committee appointed upon it, there having been some amendments made by the senate. Bills were passed authorizing a bridge over the Missouri at Nebraska City; appropriating \$12,000 for the public building at Peoria, Ill.; increasing the appropriation for a building at Winona, Minn., to \$150,000; increasing the annual militia appropriation to \$900,000; appropriating \$10,000 for more ground for the building at Council Bluffs, Ia., and sundry other public buildings bills, after which the senate adjourned.

VICTORY FOR LIQUOR MEN.

The Michigan Supreme Court Declares the Local Option Law Unconstitutional.
LANSING, Mich., May 18.—The supreme court has unanimously declared the local option law unconstitutional. The ground upon which this decision is reached is that the law is a direct violation of article 4 section 20 of the constitution, although other points are touched upon incidentally. The article of the constitution violated provides that no law shall embrace more than one object, which shall be embodied in its title. The local option law is entitled, "An act to regulate the manufacture and sale of liquor," which is not at all what the law is for.

The Burlington and the Strikers.

CHICAGO, May 21.—Rumors were circulated Saturday that the striking engineers and firemen of the Burlington road had practically acknowledged their defeat and made a satisfactory arrangement with the road to be taken back on the old terms. Chairman Hoge, of the strikers' committee, said: "There is no truth whatever in the report. We expect that the inquiry by the inter-state commerce committee will begin June 10, at which time we shall present a great quantity of evidence to show that the road is now badly run." The railway officials deny the report that notice has been given the engineers in their employ that they must run their trains without pilots after the 30th, and that the notice would result in the discharge of 60 per cent. of the new men. They say if such notices have been posted it has been done without authority, as the new men are entirely satisfactory.

First Drill at the Nashville Competition.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., May 23.—The parade of Monday, which the rain prevented, took place yesterday morning. The streets were crowded, and all the houses along the line of march were decorated. The appearance presented by the men in line was excellent, and they were cheered all along the march. The opening contest in the inter-state military encampment was witnessed by fully 10,000 people. The companies drilling were: Battery E, First regiment Ohio National Guard; Will's Gatling gun battery; Battery A, First Kentucky regiment; Rock City Guards, Nashville; Witt Rifles, Columbia, and the A. D. R. Rifles, Bristol, Tenn. A magnificent sham battle followed.

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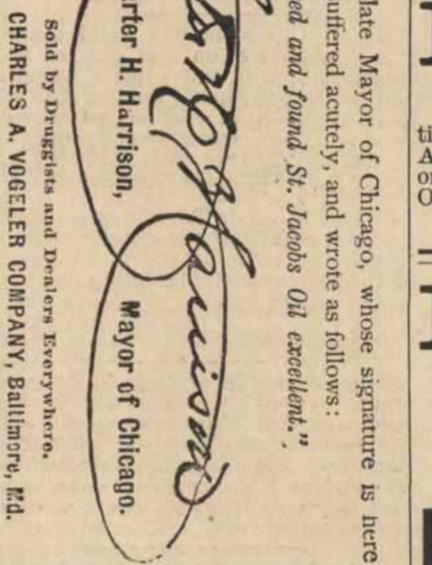
"Yes sir," replied the new reporter; "I think it's rather a more elegant word than 'while'."

"After this week, Mr. Robson," said the managing editor, making a memorandum, "you may work in the janitorial department for a 'whist.'"

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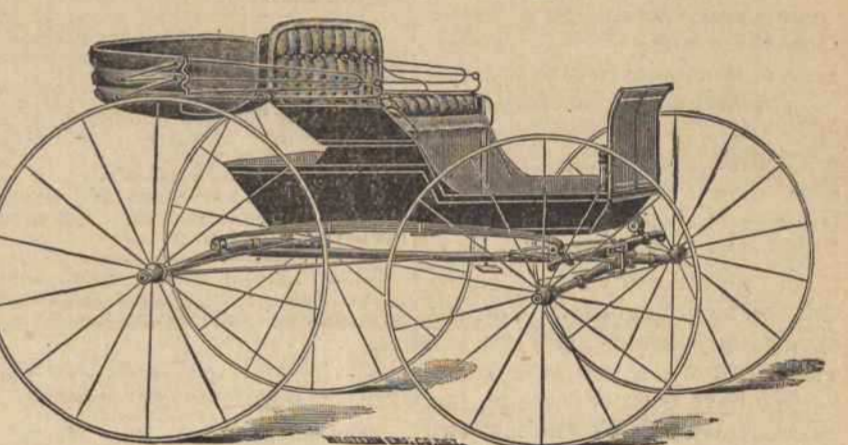
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MICHIGAN STATE NEWS.

All the pool-rooms in Detroit and a large bookmaking house have been closed by the police.

A Wexford county healer, who claims to perform cures by the laying-on of hands, is charged by a young lady whom he "treated" with being the father of her child. Will miracles never cease?

A Mendon lady who, enjoys driving a fast horse, is the owner of a span of runners which she has driven on a good country road at less than a two-minute gait.

The stallion Warlock, 8 years old, by Belmont, dam Waterwick, was sold by John Madden, of Bethlehem, Pa., to S. A. Brown, of Kalamazoo, Mich., for \$15,000.

At Jemisonville, Mich., a burglar entered the office of Luman Jemison and stole between \$800 and \$1,000 in cash and two checks amounting to \$1,500.

William Moss, an employe of the Lansing Iron works, has worked at the machinist's trade for the past fifty-five years, beginning at the age of 14. If long practice makes perfect Moss ought to be a skillful hand.

Grand Rapids dealers are kicking against the exactions of the vinegar pool, and propose a factory of their own as a proper remedy.

The boiler of the Caro Wooden Ware works exploded on the 14th inst., killing one man and wounding four others. The boiler was located in a brick engine room, the material of the latter being scattered over several acres of ground. Low water is supposed to have caused the accident.

A burglar waltzed into the store of a Hudsonville merchant the other night and read a card attached to the safe knob, stating that there wasn't any need of blowing the thing up, as it wasn't locked. Then he swung open the door, took out \$1,000 worth of valuables and cash, wrote "thanks" on the other side of the card, and slipped.

The Grand Trunk road has picked up 110,000 railway ties in Leaper and Genesee counties since March 1.

The African Methodist church of Kalamazoo baptised sixteen dusky members on Sunday last.

A Centerville man admitted that the jug he carried was well filled with bug juice, but claimed that it was procured for medicinal purposes—home consumption. That's a complaint that seems to pervade several of the local option counties at this present juncture.

A newly wedded Seawood bride was so frightened by a horned bee that she made her escape and wasn't found until the next day.

S. A. Browne & Co., (Senator Stockbridge is the "Co.") have purchased Warlock, a 3-year-old stallion, of John Madden, a Bethlehem, Pa., breeder, for \$10,000.

A Genesee county man, who has kept a weather record for the last half century and ought to know, claims that no matter whether the spring be early or late, vegetation has been in just about the same stage of advancement on the middle of June, during all those years.

Russell Kellogg, a Battle Creek citizen, aged 74 years, is preparing for another campaign by cutting a third set of teeth.

Lightning struck the residence of Melville Palmer, in Leland county, and sliced off several pieces of flesh from one of his legs and tore the shoes from his daughter's feet. The latter is all right, however, but Mr. P. will go a little lame for several days yet.

A doctor and a tombstone factory have located at Freeport, and the obituary business may be expected to take a boom in that quarter.

A deaf and dumb barber is having a great run of custom at Cadillac. Such a one would doubtless prosper almost anywhere.

Some fellow with mighty poor judgment fed a mixture of salt and Paris green to three cows, the property of Thomas McCarty, of Demion. The cows are dead, but the heartless poisoner is supposed to be on earth yet.

A recently platted addition to the village of Mount Pleasant is laid out in a novel manner, the sidewalks and shade trees to occupy the center of the streets.

"Isn't a good plan, generally, to go away from home to trade. A Holland lady tried it, but a Grand Rapids crook got away with her pocketbook and the \$35 it contained, and the lady had to return home with neither money nor goods.

John Ritterstoff, who went to Jackson on Ionia county in 1887 for life on a charge of murder, has had his sentence commuted to ten years by Governor Luce, six of which have already been served.

The explosion of a lamp at the Nileswood Pulp company's works, resulted in the destruction of one-half the plant, involving a loss of \$40,000; insured for \$30,000. The works will be rebuilt at once.

Grand Ledge will soon have a new national bank.

An Ithaca man is the owner of a 1,650-pound cow. More beef than milk in that quarter.

The Lansing Condensed Milk company became tired of paying \$100 per day for the water that was added to the milk they purchased, and began to investigate. Several good honest farmers of that vicinity are now in the toils because of the watery trick.

Michigan Knight Templars had a blowout at Grand Rapids, in annual convalesce, the past week.

Negonee's new \$35,000 school building, one of the finest in the entire state, was opened up for business on the 21st.

Mrs. Gall, of Lakeside, was assaulted by a tramp in her own house, and managing to escape securely locked herself in an adjoining room. Soon as she felt sure that the villain was gone she emerged only to find the house on fire. She promptly gave the alarm but the house was burned to the ground. Judge Lynch is after the scamp.

For scattering forged papers around a little too freely, George E. Byers was given a three and a half years lay off at the house of correction, by a Grand Rapids court.

Michigan doctors, of the small pellet persuasion, held their annual meeting at Ionia, and had a royal good time.

Battle Creek has a "Jay-Ee-See" club, the object of which is to get its eye on something good to drink occasionally. Seems to be sort of dry like under the reign of local option.

Several insurance companies are looking for their Milford agent, Frank Calhoun, and the \$1,500 it is claimed that he failed to receive as per instructions. At last accounts, however, Frank hadn't been found.

Haney's school furniture factory at Grand Rapids was wiped out by fire on the 18th, involving a loss of \$10,000; insurance, \$3,000.

The trial of William N. Brown, at Mount Pleasant, in the United States court at Bay City on a charge of taking timber from government land in Isabella county, resulted in a disagreement of the jury.

Complaint is made that the employment of child labor in the Valley mills is altogether too common.

A tramp broke into the residence of L. Chadwick, at Flint, put \$15 in cash in his pocket, exchanged his ragged shirt for a clean one, donned a new collar, and skipped.

The Pine river log drive of 30,000,000 feet is mostly owned by one man—A. J. Scott. The high water of this spring has brought down many logs cut in former years, some of which have been "hung up" so long that all ownership marks are effaced.

A little Carleton girl, whose worldly wisdom hadn't taught her better, tried to hasten the kitchen fire with kerosene. An explosion followed, burning the operator so badly that two hours afterward she had joined the angel throng.

Muskegon folks now walk in the light of 233 electric irradiators.

While Mrs. Jane Reding, of Mosherville, was engaged in making soap, her dress caught fire, burning her so severely that fatal results are likely to follow.

Kalamazoo's business men have banded themselves together in a business association for the purpose of capturing any stray manufacturer that may come reconnoitering their way, and to keep a sharp eye on the defrauding deadbeat.

Muskegon has joined the procession of snake story-tellers. But it's no ordinary snake yarn in which she indulges, for Muskegon isn't built that way. Nothing short of a sea-serpent answers her purpose.

J. H. Wickwire, a Jackson printer, is in luck, a back pension of \$1,000 having been harvested by himself. 'Tisn't often that a "poor printer" gathers in a wad like that.

Sheriff Christmas is an Ottawa county official. But evil-doers in that quarter find him more than ordinarily lively on the chase, from whom it is difficult to escape.

A Michigan air line train went through an open switch near Orchard lake, upsetting the engine and badly scalding the engineer.

The State Congregational association, held at St. Joseph last week, decided that a state training or theological school would be a good move.

A bouncing cow that had pre-empted a little piece of the Chicago & Northwestern track met a freight train near Negaunee, and thirteen cars went into the ditch. So, also, did the cow, and bossy gives milk no more.

Grand Rapids pays her mayor an annual salary of \$750, while her treasurer receives \$2,500. It requires a high-priced man nowadays to properly care for public funds.

It costs Detroit liquor dealers \$90,000 in license fees to continue business for another year.

Flint has a pitcher, by the name of Schwingshlegle, whose balls are very difficult to hit. And yet some folks will still insist that there's nothing in a name.

Since the opening of navigation Muskegon lumbermen have shipped 70,000,000 feet of lumber, mostly pine. The railroads have been busy also, hauling away the same material.

Marion, an Osceola county village, has neither a doctor, preacher nor lawyer, and her people are said to lead uncommonly peaceful, happy lives.

G. A. Blakeslee, of Galien, who has been postmaster of the town for thirty-five years, has relinquished his honors and emoluments and retired to private life. He must feel sad and lonely not to hear the old song of "Any mail for me to-day?"

Of Ingham county's 544 criminal prosecutions for the twelve months, 316 were of the drunk and disorderly class.

PROHIBITION MASS MEETING.
Considering the Recent Decision of the Michigan Supreme Court.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., May 22.—A Prohibition mass meeting was held here to consider the defeat of local option in the supreme court, and many speeches were made. One speaker rejoiced that "justice had overtaken the iniquitous conspiracy" of a Republican legislature, and that "a stupendous scheme of hypocrisy" had exploded, and other speeches were in the same tenor. All were directed against the Republicans, whom the Prohibitionists believe are responsible for ineffectual legislation. Resolution were adopted opposing the license system in every form; opposing local option as impracticable and too narrow for purpose; demanding that responsibility for futile legislation be placed on Republicans high in power, whose motives in temporizing with evil will not bear scrutiny, and finally demanding total prohibition in the state and nation.

To Tunnel the Detroit River.
DETROIT, Mich., May 21.—A syndicate has been formed to tunnel the Detroit river at this point. B. B. Baker, of London, the engineer of the immense Forth bridge in Scotland, and James Ross, of Quebec, one of the contractors of the Canadian Pacific, were in the city, and after a thorough investigation announced that the building of the tunnel can be accomplished with comparative ease. A gigantic syndicate known as the Michigan and Canadian Tunnel company, and representing more \$100,000,000 of capital, has just been legally formed in Canada and will be properly qualified for transacting business under the Michigan laws at once. This syndicate is composed of D. O. Mills and George Bliss, of New York; Mr. Laidlaw, of the Bank of California, and several of the officials of the Michigan Central railroad.

A Big Railway Deal Mooted.
MARQUETTE, Mich., May 21.—The opinion generally obtains that a railroad deal of large proportions is imminent between the Duluth, South Shore & Atlantic and the Canadian Pacific railroads, in which foreign capitalists will be interested. Sir George Stevens, president of Sir Donald Smith, director, and Mr. Van Horn, general manager, of the Canadian Pacific; Mr. Farrar, a banker of London, England; Col. West and Capt. Rich, of Minneapolis, together with the officials of the Duluth, South Shore & Atlantic are now making a careful and detailed examination of all the holdings of the latter road, traveling in a special car.

Double Crime Over Religious Differences.
ST. CHARLES, Mich., May 21.—A tragedy growing out of religious difficulty between Edward Wilman and his wife occurred a few miles from here yesterday afternoon. A desire by Mrs. Wilman some time ago to unite with the Adventists' church met with a strong opposition from her husband, and she finally left him and returned to her father's house. Yesterday afternoon Wilman drove up to the house and found Mrs. Wilman. Pulling out a revolver he shot her through the breast, and an instant later shot himself through the heart. Mrs. Wilman will die.

Michigan's Cattle Quarantine.
LANSING, Mich., May 21.—The proclamation of Governor Luce, forbidding the importation of cattle into Michigan from south of the thirty-sixth parallel, that have not been wintered north of said parallel, has gone into effect, and will continue in force until next November. The Michigan live stock commission will establish agencies at Chicago and at St. Louis to issue certificates permitting the entry of cattle, to which the proclamation does not apply.

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A SPECIAL MEETING.

THE COUNCIL CALLS A MEETING OF TAXPAYERS TO PROVIDE FOR THE CITY'S WANTS.

The Fire Department to be Put in Order—Hydrants to be Tested and Cisterns Filled—Report of the Street Committee.

At the special meeting Monday evening, all the council was present with the exception of Alderman Barler, of the sixth ward. A communication received from C. T. Parshall, clerk of Ann Arbor Town, relative to depositing dead animals on lands adjacent to the city and requesting the council to provide a place for their burial was referred to the General Fund Committee.

The Finance Committee made the following report which was adopted.

To the Hon. Common Council of the City of Ann Arbor, Mich. Your committee on finance would respectfully call the attention of the council to the necessity of taking some action immediately, looking to the raising of a sum of money necessary to meet the outstanding warrants, and to pay the necessary expenses of the city government for the current year.

The general fund, out of which the salary of all city officials should be paid and also out of which the street lighting bills must be paid, is already so drawn to a considerable extent. The general street fund, out of which workmen upon our streets must be paid, and out of which all bridges and culverts made or repaired must be paid for is also overdrawn, and warrants drawn upon either of these funds cannot be paid by the city treasurer. Consequently our city witnesses the humiliating spectacle of having laborers and others holding their orders, going to money lenders and banks and submitting to a shave in order to receive the cash while the city is abundantly able to pay its obligations promptly.

In view of this state of affairs we urge immediate action and recommend that a meeting of the tax paying electors of the city of Ann Arbor be called for Monday, June 4, 1888, to be held at the city hall, commencing at 10:45 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, polls to be opened and remain open until 4 o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose of allowing said electors an opportunity to vote upon a proposition to raise five thousand dollars by tax for the general fund. The balance to be read: "For the tax of five thousand dollars—Yes" and "For the tax of five thousand dollars—No."

And your committee would further recommend that they be empowered to prepare a statement of the financial condition of the city and have the same printed for general distribution, showing the necessity for such action.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

CHRISTIAN MARTIN, L. D. WINES, THOS. KEARNS.

The general street committee, to whom was referred the petition of John J. Robison, complaining that the city had not done what it agreed to do in reference to lowering Main St. in front of his premises, made the following report:

We find the matter of lowering said street was brought up in the council on the third day of May, 1886, and referred by vote of said council to the general street committee and the city engineer with power to act; and we also find that said committee did consider the said matter and were unanimous in their opinion that said street should be lowered to the grade as shown by the stake set by the city engineer.

We also find that said street has not been lowered as agreed to.

Believing that municipal corporations, as well as individuals, should fulfill promises made and obligations entered into, we therefore recommend that this council cause said street to be brought to the grade agreed to and shown by the records of the city engineer.

NELSON SUTHERLAND, CHRISTIAN MARTIN, EARL WARE, FRED BARKER.

Ald. Miller, of the fire committee, made a verbal report stating that on inspection of the public cisterns, he found three that were out of order and empty and that the steamer was out of order and needed repairs.

On motion of Ald. Allmendinger, the fire committee were instructed to place the steamer and public cisterns in good repair and to fill the latter as a reserve in case of fire.

The bond of John Kahoe was presented and accepted. The bond of August Roehm was referred back to the committee to report at next meeting.

On motion of Ald. Spokes, the Fire committee were instructed to interview the Water Co. in regard to testing the hydrants and furnishing map showing location of water mains and hydrants.

A motion by Ald. Ware that the rent for all defective hydrants be deducted from the water rent for the periods they are known to be defective, was carried.

The matter of ascertaining the natural water course on West First street, on motion of Ald. Martin, was referred to the street committee.

On motion of Ald. Wines, the chairman of the sidewalk committee was ordered to grade and relay the sidewalk on the north side of Monroe street between State and Packard street, and ordered by the council last year, and assess the expense to the adjacent property.

The following resolution was introduced by alderman Martin and adopted.

Resolved, That a special meeting be held at Firemen's Hall from 10:45 in the forenoon until 4 o'clock in the afternoon of that day at which time a proposition to raise five thousand dollars for general purposes by taxation upon the entire taxable property of the city shall be submitted to the property taxpayers of the city. At the meeting ballots used shall read, "For the tax of \$5,000—Yes," "For the tax of \$5,000—No," and those voting "For the tax of \$5,000, Yes," shall be deemed to be voting in favor of raising said sum in that manner and those voting, "For the tax \$5,000, No," shall be deemed as voting against the raising of said sum.

A motion by Ald. Allmendinger, that eight hundred dollars be transferred from the contingent fund to the general street fund, to be replaced Feb. 1, was carried.

The bill of the Electric Light Co. was referred to the finance committee.

A motion that the council meet hereafter at 7:30 o'clock p. m., local time, by Ald. Miller, was carried.

A motion of Ald. Ware's that the police committee be instructed to appoint two patrolmen, was not acted upon and the council adjourned.

The Circuit Court.

The work in the circuit court for the past week has been very light.

Proofs in the case of George Moorman vs. Morris Hale, et al, were heard in open court. This is the Ypsilanti Sanitarium case. It was referred to an arbitrator. The receiver's report showed the help indebtedness of the sanitarium at the time he took possession to be for help \$160.93, other general indebtedness, \$1,312.21. The cash received from Morris Hale was \$168.86. Mr. Moorman filed an answer to Hale's cross-bill, in which he denied that Hale was ever a partner in the sanitarium and bath house, or that he (Moorman) interfered in its management.

The case of Geo. W. Gill vs. Stephen Hutchinson was continued by consent.

In the case of Job A. Marshall vs. George Thompson, to recover the money paid on a Bohemian oat note signed by Marshall, the default hitherto entered in the case was set aside and a jury drawn and some proofs taken. The plaintiff amended his declaration and the case was continued to the first day of the next term, on his paying the defendant \$5 attorney fee and the witness fees. The progress of the case will be watched by those who have paid Bohemian oat notes.

Fire on West Huron Street.

Fire broke out in the residence of the late Samuel P. Jewett on West Huron street last Friday evening at eleven o'clock. Some little time elapsed before the alarm was sounded and when the fire bell first rung, citizens rushed to their windows to find the sky aglow. The department turned out quickly and did what they could toward staying the ravages of the flames. The furniture was removed from the house, even the parlor carpets being taken up. The furniture was however badly damaged. The fire was extinguished before the house was entirely burned to the ground, yet it was left almost a total wreck. The house was unoccupied excepting two rooms, occupied by a student and his wife. There was a fire in the grate and it is supposed the fire caught from the chimney. Mr. Jewett did not carry any insurance. Judge Kinne, for the benefit of the estate, had placed an insurance of \$2,000 on the building, only a week before the fire, in the Commercial Union of London. There was no insurance on the furniture. The loss on the building is \$4,000.

A Booming List.

The ARGUS has been steadily growing in circulation since the present proprietors took charge of it. Every week has seen new names added to the list. Not a single week has passed that this has not been the case. Our old friends stick by us and our new ones are numerous. These facts indicate the appreciation in which the ARGUS is held and we trust we shall be able to merit that appreciation by continuing to furnish our readers the best county paper. The following new subscribers have been added to our list in the past two weeks:

- Henry Gorman, Saline. Jacob Clough, Saline. John Lang, Saline. Miss Mary Andrews, Saline. A. O. Hood, Saline. Daniel Reeves, Saline. J. F. Graf, Saline. Christian Cook, Saline. J. H. Boyden, Saline. D. H. Briggs, Saline. John L. White, Saline. Edward Robison, Saline. John Gordon, Saline. Alfred Acton, Saline. John Avery, Saline. Frank Joslyn, Ypsilanti. S. C. Stetson, Ypsilanti. Mrs. A. Ella Flowers, Ypsilanti. George A. Neat, Ypsilanti. Mrs. E. Gould, Ypsilanti. C. S. Smith, Ypsilanti. W. H. Fay, Ypsilanti. D. C. Locke, Ypsilanti. W. H. Hall, Ypsilanti. Jacob Jedele, Dexter. Christopher Lavey, Dexter. A. Pitt, Dexter. A. Mallon, Dexter. Thomas McComb, Dexter. John Hughes, Birkett. D. Ferris, Birkett. J. H. Boyle, Emery. A. D. Groves, Ann Arbor. Gottfried Soelette, Ann Arbor. G. F. Allmendinger, Ann Arbor. J. Jacob Koch, Ann Arbor. Anton Brahm, Ann Arbor. Hugh Hawkins, Ann Arbor. Hagan & Taylor, Ann Arbor. Mrs. Wm. Caspary, Ann Arbor. John Kress, Ann Arbor. J. W. Maynard, Ann Arbor. A. A. Meuth, Ann Arbor. W. H. McIntyre, Ann Arbor. Edgar Putnam, Ann Arbor. H. C. Werner, Ann Arbor. Albert W. Sorg, Ann Arbor. Mrs. F. L. Underwood, Ann Arbor. G. A. Roehm, Ann Arbor. Chas. Roehm, Ann Arbor. Michael Seerey, Ann Arbor. W. S. Southard, Ann Arbor. Isaac Bisbee, Ann Arbor. Thomas Holmes, Clinton. E. A. Gott, Detroit. A. J. Waters, Manchester. John Koch, Manchester. Stephen Ferrin, Manchester. George Miller, Manchester. R. K. Fellows, Manchester. William Balc, Manchester. Jacob F. Miller, Manchester. Harvey Hall, Manchester. T. E. Sullivan, Columbus, Ohio. Louis Roland, Denver, Col. F. J. Feldkamp, Bridgewater. Frank Sweetland, Chelsea. Libbie Dewey, Chelsea.

High School Doings.

A senior class meeting was held Tuesday, when committees were appointed to make the necessary arrangements for class day, to be at Whitmore Lake, Wednesday, June 20th.

Gibson will take the senior class group picture next week, probably Wednesday.

Work has commenced upon the Omega, which will be issued a day or two before commencement. The publication promises to be a creditable one.

Supt. Perry is kept busy now looking after the records of those who wish to graduate.

The announcement that Dr. Ramsay was to conduct the services naturally brought out an unusually large attendance at the Christian Association last Friday, and, of course, all were greatly profited thereby. Supt. Perry was also present, and the meeting was probably the most interesting one that has been had for some time.

Miss Neumann will lead the "Bible reading and song service" this afternoon at the Christian Association.

Memorial Day.

HEADQUARTERS WELCH POST, No. 287, DEP. OF MICH., G. A. R., ANN ARBOR, MAY 21, 1888.

I. In compliance with orders from National and Department Headquarters, Welch Post, No. 137, Dept. of Mich., G. A. R., will observe Memorial Day.

II. On Sunday, May 27, the Post will assemble at the Post room at 10 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of attending services at St. Andrews church. J. T. Jacobs Camp, Sons of Veterans, and Co. A., 1st Regt. Michigan State Troops, having accepted the invitation to unite in these services, will move from their respective quarters, at 10:15 a. m., and proceed with this Post to the church.

III. On Wednesday, May 30, the Post will meet at the Post room at 5:30 o'clock a. m., to proceed to the several cemeteries in Ann Arbor, for the purpose of strewing flowers upon the graves of departed comrades. The Post will visit (in carriages) the St. Thomas, Fifth Ward, and Forest Hill Cemeteries, in the order named.

At the Fifth Ward Cemetery the ceremony given in the G. A. R. service book for Memorial Day will be observed, and the graves will be decorated.

After returning from the Fifth Ward the Post will assemble on the south side of the Court House square and, accompanied by the Camp of the Sons of Veterans, will proceed to the grave of Col. Welch, in Forest Hill Cemetery, hold the Memorial service laid down for observance, and strew flowers upon the graves of all comrades who rest in that cemetery.

IV. All who have flowers to contribute are requested to send them to the Court House, at 8 o'clock a. m., May 30, where the Ladies' Decoration Society, who have kindly consented to take charge of this matter, will be present to receive and arrange the flowers. Any flowers intended for especial graves should have a card attached, when they will be placed as desired.

V. At 1:30 o'clock p. m., sharp, May 30, Welch Post, No. 137, J. T. Jacobs Camp, No. 90, and Co. A., 1st Regt. M. S. T., will assemble at their respective quarters. At 2 o'clock p. m. line will be formed on Main street, and the procession, with such organizations as may join, will proceed to University Hall, and take part with their fellow-citizens in the exercises of the afternoon. The assemblage will be addressed by Capt. L. L. James, U. S. A.

VI. Comrades of the late war, whether members of the G. A. R. or not, are invited to participate in all the exercises of Memorial Day. It is hoped that comrades will lay aside their business and assist us in these sacred duties.

It is also desired that the citizens generally should join in the services; for the lives of these deceased comrades were given for the perpetuation of the Union and that freedom which we now enjoy. By order of W. H. JACKSON, Post Commander. J. H. Stark, Adjutant.

ALUM BAKING POWDERS.

Declared Adulterated Food and their Sale Illegal.

The result of a trial just concluded at Canton, N. Y., before Judge Kellogg, will have a salutary effect in checking the sale of one class of adulterated food. Two men, named Moon and Arkerl, were arrested for selling adulterated baking powder in violation of the State food adulteration act. The indictment was for both selling baking powders that were inferior, adulterated and injurious to health by reason of being made from alum, and for selling them under pretense that they were a wholesome, cream of tartar baking powder. A stubborn defence was made, the claim being set up that the powder the defendants were selling, which was sold as Gillett's, was a standard article of trade, and that alum baking powders inferior to it, like Davis' and others, were being sold by other dealers in the same town without complaint. The court held that baking powders were articles of food within the meaning of the law, and the jury found the defendants guilty upon all the charges. The case has attracted much attention from being the first brought under the State Food Adulteration Act against dealers in alum baking powders. The result of the trial is to class such baking powders as adulterated articles of food and to make their sale illegal. There are many alum baking powders put up in cans, under some name or brand, in addition to those sold in bulk, the sale of all of which cautious dealers will probably unwilling to continue.

She.

Says the Sacramento, Cal., Record-Union—She, drew a large audience last night. It was presented much better than we believed they would be able to do in a brief engagement. There was a great deal of new scenery shown.

The piece is the strangest and wildest freak of a brilliant and undirected imagination. At times one can fancy that the story is allegorical and intended to reveal deep purpose, and that it hints of a weird philosophy of life that is bewildering in suggestion; at others, the auditor is led to conclude that there is no purpose in the tale beyond the weaving of marvels of wild fancies into a mysterious and not understandable plot. We confess to having abandoned the reading of the novel She before two-thirds through its pages and without any regrets.

The play is more satisfactory than the book. Its spectacular effects are great aids, and the realization of the loves of the beautiful women, "Ustane" and "She," gives it poetic charms and graces. The Webster-Brady Company undertook a heavy task in handling the piece. Their success was acknowledged last night by much applause, and echoes for many of the spectacular effects and melo-dramatic tableaux with which the play bristles on all sides. It will be played again to-night and for the last time at the Saturday matinee.

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Highest and lowest temperature during the past seven days. Also of the corresponding week of 1887.

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F. J. SCHLEED.

Estate of Phoebe Ann Martin. STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHTENAW, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, held at the Probate Office in the City of Ann Arbor, on Monday, the fourteenth day of May in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight.

Present, William D. Harriman, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Phoebe Ann Martin, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified of Benjamin H. Martin, praying that administration of said estate, may be granted to Oliver M. Martin or some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the 18th day of June next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be held at the Probate Office in the City of Ann Arbor, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted; and it is further ordered that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, be required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be held at the Probate Office in the City of Ann Arbor, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted; and it is further ordered that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, be required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be held at the Probate Office in the City of Ann Arbor, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted; 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